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WRECK OF STEAMER

Rescued Members of Gere's Crew Tell of Thrilling Disaster.

CAPTAIN LAST TO LEAVE

Vessel Foundered Near Delaware Capes and Sank in Three Minutes—Had Cargo of Coal. Rescue of Sailors.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Philadelphia, Sept. 28.—Saved from a crew of 15 the seven who had a narrow escape from death by the foundering at noon on Saturday of the Norwegian steamer Gere, six miles from the Winter Quarter lightship, which is stationed 50 miles south of the Delaware Capes and 16 miles at sea, arrived here this afternoon on the British steamer Arroyo, which took them from the lightship, before reported as aving the shipwrecked seamen aboard. The men saved ar Julius eMyer, the captain, and six seamen. They are no in the care of the Norwegian consul in this city.

A thrilling story of shipwreck in which every one was for himself, is told by the men in English that could scarcely be understood. They said they left here with a crew of 15 and a cargo of coal for Sagua La Grande, Cuba, encountering rough weather after passing out the Delaware capes.

Off the Winter Quarter lightship when only three men were on deck an unusually heavy sea struck the steamer and it heeled over at a dangerous angle. She was repeatedly struck by high seas and she went over on her side. In the meantime the other members of the crew came on deck and taking in the situation, secured life boats. Nothing could be done to reach the vessel and as she was rapidly settling the crew looked about for safety. The only boat had been swept from the davits and was floating away. Therefore there was nothing for the men to do but to jump into the sea.

All of them managed to find timber or other floating objects from the ship which went to the bottom within three minutes and the stronger swimmers struck out for the drifting boat. The little craft was floating bottom up and after a trping time the boat was righted and an attempt made to clear it of water. Enough was gotten out after a two-hour struggle to put two men in it and with the aid of their hands and a pair of marine glasses they scooped enough water out to permit others to climb in. Meanwhile the weakest of the swimmers and the two that could not swim went down one by one.

When the water was finally out of the boat the last remaining man clinging to it was hauled in and it was found that eight were missing. They floated before the wind until 4:30 P. M., when they sighted the Winter Quarter lightship. The little craft had no oars but the shipwrecked men guided the boat the best they could and soon came near enough to the ship to be taken on board by the lonely sentinels of the sea who spend their life on her.

Members of the crew say the captain and the engineer were the last to leave the ship. The engineer, H. H. Neilson, was drowned.

The rapidity with which the Gere sank is believed to have been due to an unusually heavy load of coal which is dead weight. Although the Gere was only 420 tons burden, she sailed from here with 900 tons of coal and was commented on as she passed down the Delaware river that she had only about nine inches of free board.

OUTLINES.

Harry Whitney, of New Haven, reached St. John's, New Foundland, yesterday on his return from his hunting expedition in the Arctic regions. He says that he met both Dr. Cook and Commander Peary at different points in the Arctic and has every reason to believe that both of them reached the North Pole; Commander Peary has submitted his proof against Dr. Cook and it will be given out in a few days by the Peary Arctic Club——A gold medal awarded by the United States government was yesterday presented to Secretary of War Dickinson, who four years ago saved the life of a Detroit lawyer, who fell overboard from a launch——The features of the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York yesterday was a magnificent street pageant and other features carried out on a grand scale——President Taft spoke at Spokane, Wash., yesterday and declared that he would recommend Congress to appropriate $10,000,000 for completing irrigation projects and expressed himself hearty in favor of conserving our natural resources——New York markets: Money on call firm 2 1-2 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 3; spot cotton quiet 13.55; flour rather quiet but firm; wheat firm, No. 2 red nominal elevator, No. 2 red nominal f. o. b. afloat; corn firm, No. 2 old 75 1-2 in elevator and 76 1-2 delivered, both nominal, No. 2 old 74 5-8 middle October f. o. b. afloat; oats firm, mixed 41 1-2 to 42; turpentine and rosin firm.

GOLD MEDAL FOR LIFE SAVING

One Awarded by Government to Secretary of War Dickinson—Saved Life of Detroit Lawyer Four Years Ago.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 28.—An almost forgotten incident in which present Secretary of War James M. Dickinson heroically rescued James F. Joy, a Detroit lawyer, from the Detroit river four years ago, was recalled today when a handsome solid gold medal, suspended from a ribbon held in the beak of an American Eagle was presented to Mr. Dickinson on behalf of the United States government.

The medal, approved by President Taft before his departure on his trip and commemorating the War Secretary in saving the life of a fellowman, was presented by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Hilles.

"In testimony of heroic deeds in saving lives," read the inscription on the medal, which also bore a laurel wreath held aloft by a woman. Touched deeply by the unexpected recognition of his act, the Secretary of War, with characteristic modesty, merely said: "I did not have much time to consider what was best to be done when Joy fell into the river, and if I had I might have done what Rip Van Winkle told his wife Gretchen, he would do in case she fell into the water, 'Go home and think it over'." He added that he did not know he had done anything remarkable.

On August 29, 1885 the American Bar Association, then in session at Detroit, was entertained at St. Clair flats. The guests were conveyed there in steam yachts. Judge Dickinson, Charles H. Campbell, Frank O. Loveland and others were entertained on the steam yacht Truant owned by Truman H. Newberry, who subsequently became Secretary of the Navy. The Truant returned to Detroit at 8 o'clock that night. It was very dark and because of piling at the outer edge of the railroad wharf, the yacht lay several feet out from the dock. A small landing plank was put out and in attempting to cross it Jas. F. Joy, the oldest member of the Detroit bar, whose eyesight was defective, fell overboard, in attempting to cross the plank. The plank was six feet above water, which at that point was 20 feet deep. Judge Dickinson plunged into the water and rescued Joy. There were jagged, broken piles at that point, some hidden beneath the current, but both men fortunately reached the dock unharmed. Close by on other yachts at the time were Judge Taft, now President, Associate Justices Brewer and Brown, of the Supreme Court of the United States, and other persons of prominence.

The heroic act of the present War Secretary went unrewarded until last May when President Thomas H. Herndon, of the American Cross of Honor, applied to the Secretary of the Treasury for the award of a life saving medal to Mr. Dickinson to commemorate his "heroic daring." On June 25 last a committee consisting of the solicitor of the treasury, the superintendent of the life saving service and the captain commandant of the revenue cutter service, unanimously voted to award a medal of the first class (gold).

Without effort at oratory or any ceremony whatever, Assistant Secretary Hilles today presented the medal to Mr. Dickinson at the latter's office. He merely handed the Secretary a Morocco case containing the medal and informally told him of the action of the board. Mr. Dickinson thanked Mr. Hilles "for bringing it over", as he expressed it.

AN ECHO FROM THE PAST

A Room Added to Union School Has Been Completed.

(Communicated.)

When last Christmas the Board of Education gave the Union Sunday school permission to add a room to the school building on the Castle Haynes road, to which the people of Wilmington so generously contributed, no one concerned anticipated it would be so long before completion. The details we will not enter into in print, but simply say the room is finished and without a debt on it and further wish to say that the entire building is being used to its fullest extent for the purposes our kind friends gave their aid. A day school, five days per week, a night school three times per week; Sunday school at 4 P. M., preaching service at 8 P. M. The new room will be used by the young men of the neighborhood for Y. M. C. A. purposes as soon as things can be so arranged. In the meantime have had desks and a new bookcase given to us, and anyone wishing to part with books suitable for young people would confer a benefit by giving them to the school. We also wish to anounce on Thursday night, September 30th at 8 P. M. there will be an ice cream social at the old school house and by way of entertainment a spelling bee, a dash for the North Pole and a cake contest, the proceeds to be devoted toward an organ, the old one having gone with the school furniture to the Board of Education. Come and help us once more and believe us. Yours gratefully,

THE UNION S. SCHOOL.

Lincoln Pennies.

If any of our friends failed to receive from us through the mails one of the New Lincoln Pennies, bearing the initials of the designer "V. D. B." we will be glad if they will call at the bank and let us present them with one. The People's Savings Bank. se 26 1t.

TAFT TO ASK FUNDS

Will Authorize Ten Millions in Bonds For Irrigation Projects.

GREAT SPEECH IN THE WEST

President Urges Conservation of Natural Resources—Advocates Roosevelt Policies—Talks of Demand for Power.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 28.—Congress will be asked by President Taft to authorize the issuance of $10,000,000 in bonds to complete irrigation projects already begun in the West and on which work has been stopped for lack of funds. This was the announcement made by the President in his speech delivered here today on the conservation of natural resources. Enthusiastic cheering greeted the declaration.

The President declared that many newspapers had drawn unfair inferences as to the attitude of his administration on the general conservation of natural resources.

"The truth is," he said, "my administration is pledged to follow out the policies of Mr. Roosevelt in this regard and while the pledge does not involve me in any obligation to carry them out unless I have Congressional authority to do so, it does require that I take every step to exert every legitimate influence upon Congress to enact the legislation which shall best subserve the purpose indicated."

The President declared that Secretary of Interior Ballinger was in accord with him to the necessity for promoting in every legitimate way the conservation of natural resources.

The President praised Mr. Pinchot for his "wonderful work for the conservation of the forests, supported by Mr. Roosevelt."

President Taft declared as to water power sites, that Congress must authorize the government to allot these sites to private interests for developmen, the government retaining general control and supervision.

He declared also that he would urge upon Congress the necessity of an authoritative classification of public lands and vice versa.

Mr. Taft said in part: "I am going to take up today the subject of conservation of our natural resources. This has been given a very wide scope. I don't propose to cover the whole ground today. I shall confine my attention to those parts of the policy which are certainly with the jurisdiction of the National government, and especially concern the country west of the Missouri river.

'I refer first to the preservation of the natural forests, second, to reclamation of the arid and semi-arid lands by irrigation; third, to the disposition of water power sites upon public lands with proper restrictions upon the use, both in respect to the compensation, its extent in point of time and the adjustment of rates to be charged to the public by the beneficiary of the grant; fourth, to the disposition of coal, oil and phosphate lands owned by the government with such restrictions as will permit their development for private profit and yet will prevent monopoly and extortion in the sale of the product.

"It appears that the government timber land is only about one-fourth the timber land owned by private individuals and only 3 per cent. of timber land owned by private individuals is properly looked after, according to modern methods of forestry.

"The destruction by fire of forests is estimated to be $50,000,000 a year. It would seem, therefore, imperative that the States require some system of fire protection and the adoption of the best methods of forestry.

"It would seem that the States have a right to do this because of the general interest which the public has in the preservation of the forests and in its equalizing of the water supply and its effect upon the climate. The regulation of the water supply, of course, prevents erosion of the soil and the wasteful destruction of the best part of the soil which is carried down the rivers with the floods.

"I don't stop to discuss at length the forestry question. The amount of progress made by Mr. Pinchot with the earnest support of Mr. Roosevelt and Secretary Wilson, at times has met the denunciation of persons in the western country on the ground that property was taken which Congress intended for individuals and was being withheld from them.

"But I think general opposition to Mr. Pinchot's plans has disappeared and that the great body of the American people recognizes the benefit of the reform in reference to foretry and greatly regret that it was not begun years before.

"The plan of the government to reclaim the arid and semi-arid lands, manifested in the reclamation act and carried out most rapidly by the bureau charged with its execution.

"There are some 30 projects which have been entered upon by the reclamation bureau and I believe that all of them are to be commended for their excellent adaptation to the purpose for which they were erected and

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BOTH FOUND POLE

Harry Whitney Back From His Hunting Expedition in Arctics.

NO REASON TO DOUBT COOK

Mr. Whitney Met Both Explorers in Arctic Regions at Different Points. Peary Has Proof Against Cook Ready.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

St. Johns, N. F., Sept 28.—Harry Whitney, of New Haven, believes that Dr. Frederick A. Cook found the Pole and that Commander Peary did the same. In expressing this belief today Mr. Whitney said that he knows no reason for doubting Cook more than Peary.

"Dr. Cook's story," he added, "seems to me truthful and probable. Nothing else would explain his twelve months absence."

The schooner Jeanie arrived here today with Mr. Whitney aboard, coming from the Greenland coast by way of Indian Harbor, Labrador. Mr. Whitney feels keenly the position in which he is placed. He went north, he said, merely on a hunting trip and now finds himself in the storm center of a polar controversy. Dr. Cook left with him at Annatok several cases containing instruments and some other belongings, but so far as Mr. Whitney knew, no written records. There may have been records, however, packed with Dr. Cook's personal effects, but the explorer did not tell him especially that he was leaving written records in his possession.

Speaking of Dr. Cook's detailed account of his trip to the Pole, Mr. Whitney said that the explorer showed him how the western drift of the ice had landed him in a region far remote from where he expected to go and he was unable to get back. He could not speak with authority as to whether Dr. Cook and his two Eskimos could carry on their three sledges enough food for their journey to the Pole, as he himself is a novice in Arctic traveling. He declared he knew nothing of the controversy beyond the vaguest details.

The first he learned of it was at Indian Harbor when he received messages from several American papers asking for a statement. Mr. Whitney denied that Commander Peary had removed Dr. Cook's stores from Annatok to Etah. What Peary really did was to transfer a few things and rebuild the house at Annatok. Boatswain Murphy's only reason for refusing to help Captain Bernier's Canadian expedition to get dogs and sledges at Etah was that they were short of dogs themselves. Mr. Whitney had trouble in getting enough dogs for his teams all through the Winter, and Murphy was looking out for Peary, so that he would have sufficient dogs for the Commander's exploring trips around the country when he returned from the north.

The day the Roosevelt was leaving Etah for home Whitney informed Peary that Cook had entrusted to him certain belongings to bring home on the vessel that was coming up for Whitney, but as this ship had not arrived, Whitney was at a loss what to do with this property.

Peary declined to permit Dr. Cook's belongings to be brought aboard the Roosevelt and he put Whitney on his honor not to include anything belonging to Dr. Cook in his own luggage. Whitney thereupon went ashore from the Roosevlet, separated Dr. Cook's property from his own baggage and with the aid of Captain Robert Bartlett, commander of the Roosevelt, whom he had asked to help him, repacked Cook's property in boxes.

After this had been done Whitney and Bartlett cached all Cook's property in a cave in the rocks. They built up the cave securely with stones and turf and left it and the property in charge of one of Dr. Cook's Eskimos.

It may be remarked in passing, Mr. Whitney went on, that ten years ago Peary did with the explorer Sverdup, who was crusing in Smith Sound, what he has done with Cook; he refused to bring back any of Svedrup's letters or records.

In conclusion Mr. Whitney declared he regretted being dragged into this controversy. He said he had found both Dr. Cook and Commander Peary courteous and considerate and that he had never met any men whose conduct generally was more commendable or whose dealings with him had been more fair.

Peary's Proof Ready.

Bar Harbor, Maine, Sept. 28.—The material which Commander Robert E. Peary will produce to support his contention that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the Pole is now in completed form. As soon as it has been passed upon by the Peary Arctic Club it will be made public.

General Hubbard, president of the club, and Commander Peary concluded their conference on the subject today and the explorer will probably return to his home in Eagle Island tomorrow morning.

The papers which are to play such an important part in the controversy are only the opening guns in the campaign which Commander Peary will

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DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Exhibition of Corn and Other North Carolina Products—Rex Hospital Opened—Special Tax in Beaufort—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 28.—In furthering the plans for assembling an exposition of North Carolina corn as a feature of the session of the National Farmer's Congress to be held here the first week in November, the business men of Raleigh are to be asked to largely supplement the premium list that the State Board of Agriculture has announced, embracing cash premiums aggregating $500.

The additional premiums to be provided by the business organizations of Raleigh are to be in the way of special prizes. While corn is to be a special feature of this exhibit small grains and truck of various kinds are to be included. Officers of the National Congress say that the indications are for a very large attendance of prominent farmers of the west and northwest and from other extensive farming sections of the State.

This was opening day for Raleigh's splendid new Rex Hospital, just completed at a cost of $50,000. It has been "gift day" and all afternoon and evening people of the city passed through the splendid building in steady streams, the gifts in cash and in furnishings and other equipment being very extensive.

Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has gone to Beaufort county where he will spend the week filling engagements for educational addresses in connection with a vigorous movement for extension of school improvement through local tax being pushed by County Superintendent Nathaniel Harding, of Washington, and other school officials.

Commissioner of Agriculture Graham left today for Wilkesboro to attend the big fair is in progress there this week. From there he will go for an inspection of the State test farms in Iredell, Buncombe and Transylvan'a counties, will attend the Appalachain Good Roads Congress at Asheville and them visit the fairs at Waynesville and Greensboro, returning to Raleigh about the middle of October.

Governor Kitchin today announced delegates for the Appalachain Good Roads Convention to Asheville October 5th to 7th. Among them are: Leonard Tufts, Southern Pines; R. D. Caldwell, Lumberton; J. A. Lockhart, Wadesboro; Albert Cox, Raleigh; A. P. Kitchin, Scotland Neck; Geo. W. Connor, Wilson; Z. V. Turlington, Mooresville; C. S. Vann, Edenton; Hugh MacRae, Wilmington. The convention has for its special purpose to consider ways and means for the construction of 300 miles of standard highways through the Southern Appalachian mountains with connecting roads extending into Piedmont Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee.

AFFAIRS AT ROCKY MOUNT.

Burglars on Their Rounds—Special Session of Recorder's Court.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 28.—Again the police are troubled with the burglary proposition. The campaign of last year was one of entering residences by all manner of means and stealing various and sundry articles, but this year a brick through the window of the business houses has been the means of entrance. About a week ago the window of Bass & Taylor, at North Rocky Mount was broken by the use of a missile and the articles shown therein, shoes and hats, were removed.

Last night the robbers grew bolder and the downtown office of the Rocky Mount Ice & Fuel Company was robbed, a brick being again used in breaking the window in the rear of the building. The burglar rifled the money drawer and took from it the afternoon receipts, which amounted to about $35 or $40.

Another breaking-in occurred last night between 12 and 3 o'clock, when it was discovered by the police. The store of Mr. J. W. Davenport on Washington street was the scene. The window was smashed by the use of a brick and a coat, a pair of gloves and a hat were taken; in fact, everything that could be reached by a person's arm through the window. The burglars made good their escape and there is not the slightest clue. There is every indication that in every instance the robberies have been committed by the same persons.

At a special session of Recorder's Court last night the case of Will Dickens and John Proctor, young white men, who were held for a cutting affray at South Rocky Mount a few Sunday mornings ago, was heard and lengthy evidence was given. It was first thought that Dickens was fatally cut while Proctor had skipped out, a woman having been the cause of the trouble. At last night's hearing it was shown that Dickens had been the aggressor and that he had chased Proctor a good distance when finally Proctor turned and in a manner that evidenced self defense he proceeded to carve up his antagonist. It was evident that Dickens had suffered severely from the wounds inflicted and as Proctor had cut in self defense the court dismissed the case.

Thursday, Sept. 30th, and Friday October 1st, Grand Fall opening at Gaylord's. **

GREAT HUDSON FETE

Wonderful Pageant Marks Historical Hudson-Fulton Celebration.

NATIONS IN CELEBRATION

Epoch Making Scenes of Three Centuries in Street Parade—Two Million People Gathered—Dr. Cook at Banquet.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—Through streets ablaze with bunting and lined with the greatest crowd ever gatherd in New York thoroughfares, a parade of 20,000 men and fifty-four floats passed today before the envoys of twenty-one nations participating in the Hudson-Fulton celebration. And in its passing, which occupied two hours time, the epoch making scenes of three centuries represented in gigantic figures of wood, plaster, paint and tinsel, were reviewed.

The day was bright and the celebration was held without an untoward incident. Along the route of the parade, a distance of over five miles, it is estimated that more than two million people gathered.

As a parade it was as Democratic as it was historic, as cosmopolitan as it was Democratic. Mayor George B. McClellan and Herman Hidder, vice president of the Hudson-Fulton celebration commission, headed the line and covered the entire distance afoot. There was no military show, no distinguished personages in vehicles; all with the exception of the platoons of police mounted on their shiny-coated bay horses, were afoot.

A number of the patriotic scenes were wildly cheered. Among them were "Pulling down the statue of George III," "Publishing the constitution," "Storming of Stoney Point." "Capture of Andre," and "Washington taking the oath of office."

It was before a distinguished gathering that the paraders passed. Vice President James S. Sherman was flanked on either side by the Admirals Lepord and Seymour of the French and English squadrons, respectively. Governor Hughes, Seth Low, Prince Kni of Japan and the German grand admiral VonKoester were seated nearby. Others in the reviewing stand were Read Admiral Seaton Schroeder of the Atlantic fleet and his staff: Major General O. O. Howard and Supreme Court Justice Brewer.

Tammany with a thousand stalwart members in "Prince Alberts" and high hats, made a picturesque showing. Squads of school children, New York University, Columbia, City College and Rutgers College students members of Irish, Italian, French, Scotch, Swedish and other cosmopolitan societies followed, and behind them came others and others, seemingly without end. With the end of the parade at Washington Square the crowds broke out of bounds and swarmed back and forth across the square, literally storming the floats in an effort to get souvenirs. It necessitated military severity on the part of the police to save the creations from being torn to pieces.

The line of march was kept well cleared, and in the crushes there were only minor accidents, the victims of which generally were nervous women.

More than 6,000 sailors from all the ships now assembled in New York harbor attended the performance at the hippodrome tonight as the guests of the Hudson-Fulton commission.

No attempt was made to seat the sailors by countries and as a result the light blue of the French uniform the white tassel of the German jackie and the distinguishing uniform of warrant officers of the various foreign nations were seen in all parts of the immense throng, relieving the solid navy blue worn by the American and English men.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the explorer, Governor Hughes, of New York and Governor Fort, of New Jersey, were among the guests tonight at a banquet tendered by the citizens of up-town New York to distinguished visitors at the celebration. There was also another official banquet at a casino in the Bronx.

EX-JUDGE NORWOOD DEAD

Passed Away After Brief Illness in Waynesville Sunday.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Waynesville, Sept. 27.—After only two days' illness, at nine o'clock Sunday morning the messenger of death came to ex-Judge W. L. Norwood, one of the oldest members of the Waynesville bar. The funeral service will be held at the residence at 11 o'clock morning by Rev. Arieson, rector of the Episcopal church.

Judge G. S. Ferguson opened Superior Court here this morning, then immediately adjourned in respect to the death of ex-Judge Norwood, his brother-in-law.

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ASLEEP OVER OUR OPPORTUNITIES.

This adjunct of the Star has delighted in calling attention to the illimitable resources and opportunities of North Carolina—especially eastern Carolina—and we have not failed to deplore the fact that we have slept over splendid opportunities, such as few States can offer. Thousands of North Carolinians have gone from central and western North Carolina to the West when if they had moved east a hundred or so miles in their own State they would have found a region that equals any land under the Sun.

The far eastern section of North Carolina is a terra incognito to many people in the State, but the publicity that the press brings is attracting attention to a country which such an able paper as the Washington Post declares "will surpass Iowa." The Post has joined The Star in speaking of the wonders of the eastern section of the State, and this from our esteemed Washington contemporary reads about as good as a novel:

"John A. Wilkinson lives at Belhaven, N. C. He was born on a backwoods farm 7 miles from his present residence. That was before Belhaven came into existence, for Wilkinson, has built that prosperous town of 4,000 people. That section of North Carolina which lies between Albemarle and Pamlico sounds was practically a swamp in the early life of Wilkinson, and wresting a livelihood from his father's clearing resolved itself into a battle against too much moisture. The family victories were often near defeats, with tragedy always in the offing.

"When Wilkinson had grown into young manhood a railroad was built into that section for the sake of the timber it contained and the young native son made a fortune in lumber in the 15 years that followed. Incidentally he sold lumber the country over and got the viewpoint of the great outside. He began to think of applying what he learned to the lands of his native heath. Scientific agriculture, practical drainage, offered opportunity for experiment. He tried these on the farm of his boyhod. The result was such crops as Illinois never dreamed of. He grew 75 barrels of potatoes and followed with 75 bushels of corn the same season and sold the crop for $400 to the acre. He netted $12,000 on a field of cotton containing 150 acres. Such staple crops as corn and cotton yelded regularly $50 to the acre and better. Wilkinson determined to bring the possibility of this yield to that 500,000 acres of land that skirted the coast between the two sounds.

"He called upon the national Department of Agriculture to investigate its soils, establish its levels, and tell him the manner in which it should be drained and farmed. The soils were found to be 10 feet deep with the vegetable deposits of ages; the lands high enough for drainage, and the matter of farming merely the application of the principle of thoroughness.

"Wilkinson secured legislation which authorized the formation of drainage districts to bond themselves for their own improvement upon a vote of three-fifth of the acreage. He gained control of the necessary amount of land to drain the whole region, and today his dredges are plowing great canals through the forest-covered swamps 20 feet wide, 8 feet deep, and but a mile apart. His men are felling the timber in tracts of 5,000 acres at a time, a match is being set to it when dry, and without cultivation corn is being planted in the loose loam and a crop raised among the charred logs and stumps that pays for the whole operation.

"This accomplishment is multiplying the value of the land by 20 and its productiveness by 1,000. It is converting the most despised region in the United States into a farming community which Wilett M. Hays, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, says will surpass Iowa. It is making wealthy the coon hunting companions of the youth of the man who is doing this work. It is feeding the multitude and building a monument to its moving spirit that will endure forever. Yet men have been growing up in this section for 300 years and missing its opportunities. The possibilities were not apparent. Similar chances rest latent in a thousand communities for the men who are able to see them."

In the above the Post has contributed an article of intense interest concerning our part of the State. It will give wide publicity to the immensely fertile lands of our swamp region and it should bring to this part of the State many people who are looking for lands that the West cannot equal.

CANE SYRUP INDUSTRY.

This country will never reach the height of its independence nor attain the maximum of prosperity till we produce at home everything that we are purchasing from the other fellow who can not produce it any more economically than we can. For instance, it is hard to conceive why this part of the South should be the customer of any other country when it comes to supplying the needs for syrup and molasses. The same observation applies to other products that we can produce just as good or better than those who are supplying us with what we ought to produce ourselves.

Future generations, if not the present one, will laugh at us for buying syrups or molasses while we could actually produce them ourselves at a profit. We could not only raise our home supply but we could do a profitable business supplying the exceedingly large section of the country that cannot produce cane crops and products.

Georgia cane syrup is considered "something fine" and has had a large sale in this country, when we can raise the same commodity, "equally as good," right at home. An increasing number of our farmers are already doing that very thing but they are doing it for family consumption and not for the market. Why not for the market, when there is a profit in it?

This is the time of year when the cane growers are cutting and grinding their cane and making syrup, and no doubt some of our own farmers could give their experience in this particular. The Cherokee (S. C.) News says:

"The farmers say their sorghum is yielding well this season. It is no uncommon thing to hear of one acre of cane turning out 100 gallons of syrup which sells readily for 50 cents a gallon. In appearance and flavor the syrup is the equal of any on the market and being made by our own people is an assurance of purity and cleanliness which makes it preferable by consumers to any other syrup on the market."

There is ready sale for all the syrup that is properly made and it is prepared to the products that come from regular molasses producing counties. Land that will produce $50 in syrup per acre beats cotton even at present prices, considering the comparative cost of production.

We know one farmer who raises 180 gallons of syrup to the acre and sells all he can make. We ought to keep our syrup money at home and get the best.

GOT THE WRONG SOW BY THE EAR.

We don't know whether or not Colonel Williams J. Bryan heard Senator Bailey's reply to the Nebraskan on the subject of free raw material to be used in the manufacture of highly protected finished products, but if the gentleman from Lincoln will read the Texan's speech he will add to his store of knowledge on that phase of the tariff.

Colonel Bryan went down to Texas to attack the Lone Star statesman in his own bailiwick but the Texas Senator is able to take care of himself against all comers. Bailey is a student of political economy, a man of profound legal attainments and an orator of high rank. If Colonel Bryan had carefully read some of Bailey's speeches during the tariff debate in the United States Senate, he would have fought shy of attacking the Senator on a question which the Texan had at his finger ends.

Colonel Bryan would be a much stronger man if he would quit jumping at conclusions and springing them prematurely.

The esteemed Raleigh News and Observer put the Tobacco Trust in a hole and then went to work and tried a Coon.

A thousand mayors are to meet in St. Louis in October. They must be going there to give each other the laugh about ward politics.

It is something to be a member of "the scout car party," judging from the way the party is steered up against banquets en route from New York to Atlanta. We'd like to be a scout.

England is fitting out an expedition to go on an exploration next Spring in search of the South Pole. We are tired of our North Pole and we'll swap with England when she annihilates the difficulty of getting to the top of the world by the southern route.

"A triumph for debauchery" is the way the Columbia State characterizes the acquittal of James S. Farnum, who was on trial at Columbia on the charge of bribery in connection with the old dispensary grafting. The jury must have been composed of dummies who didn't know proof when they saw it.

When cotton reached its highest est point a few days ago, it was raining in Cleveland county and as there were no good roads the farmers could not haul their cotton to market. The market declined and the Cleveland farmers are kicking themselves for not having roads that could get them to market, while prices were high. Oh! you Duplin. Vote for good roads. You see the point.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The Greensboro News admits: "The supreme need of Grensboro at this time is to get better acquainted with itself." The very point we have often sought to impress. A thorough knowledge will effect a complete disillusioning, we feel assured, and will bring an end to the Gate City's futile attempt to class itself with Charlotte. Learn yourself, Greensboro, and you will know your proper place.—Charlotte News.

—The most important railroad news in some time is the story that the Virginia railway will build to Durham. It is possibly not true, but if it is and the Virginian does build south and into Durham it will mean great things for that city. Durham already occupies front rank as a railroad centre and the coming of this additional road from the coal fields will greatly increase its importance. Durham and the entire section will be the gainer with the Virginian as an additional means of transportation.—Raleigh Times.

—Mr. S. E. Dula returned Wednesday from a trip south in the interest of his apple trade and is now busy shipping his fruit to fill orders taken. By careful gathering, grading and packing, he is getting $1.25 to $1.50 per bushel for his apples, while other growers are getting 40 and 50 cents per bushel. This shows what cultivating, spraying and proper gathering and handling will do for the business in this part of the country. As before stated Mr. Dula is grading and handling his apples carefully and packing them in small paper lined boxes of standard size, which is another taking feature in the business. The nice boxes present a far more attractive appearance than the old rough crates. —Lenoir (N. C.) News.

—The cost of living, which has been increasing so rapidly for most of the last 13 years is again advancing from the slightly lower levels brought by the depresison of 1908. All through the past Summer the prices of the necessaries of life have been slowly advancing, reaching on August 1 the highest figure reported for that date save one in 1907. The average cost of supplies practically every household must buy has increased over 49 per cent. since 1896, but the Review of Reviews remarks that it is "rather interesting" to note in the Bradstreet statistics that the commodities controlled by the trusts have generally shown a smaller increase in price than the average. Thus refined petroleum sold in 1896 for 7.8 cents a gallon and the wholesale price now is 8 1-2 cents. Sugar cost in 1896 4 7-8 cents a pound and costs now 4.85 cents. Anthracite coal in 1896 cost $4.25 a ton and is now $4.90. The Bradstreet agency has selected 106 articles of domestic consumption and has kept a careful record of their prices month by month for 17 years. The highest point ever reached was in March 1907, after which came the moderate slump caused by the financial disturbances of that year. We are now marching steadily back toward this high record and the August figures are only 6.8 per cent. below it. Some of the individual cases of increased cost are much more impressive than the average. Rubber has advanced from 81 cents a pound in 1896 to $1.98 a pound now; pork from $8.25 a barrel to $21.75; eggs from 12 1-2 cents a dozen to 28 cents ;mutton from 5 1-2 cents a pound to 17 cents; corn from 34 cents a bushel to 80 cents; wheat from 64 cents a bushel to $1.20, and so forth. The figures are wholesale prices and as a rule the advance to the ultimate consumer has been decidedly greater.—New York Sun.

TWINKLINGS.

—Wife—In a battle of tongues a woman can hold her own. Husband—M'yes, pr'haps she can—but she never does."—Tit-Bits.

—Peter, Paul & Co.—"I say, old chap, will you lend a friend a louis?" "Is he really in need of it?" "Rather—he wants to pay me with it."—Bon Vivant.

—Mother—You have one great fault, Emerson. You won't take "No" for an answer. Boston Child—And yet it was that same trait in father which led you to marry him.—Life.

—She (in a motor car)—What was the matter? He—Oh, nothing. She—Then why did you stop the machine and crawl under it? He—I saw one of my creditors coming.—Boston Transcript.

—"Did your wife bring many souvenirs back from Europe?" "I should say she did. Sixteen spoons, a silver sugar and creamer, a dessert fork and eight wine glasses, all from different hotels, too."—Detroit Free Press.

—"That man couldn't interpret a single passage of the constitution." "Yet you naturalized him, judge?" "Well, he was away up on batting averages. I guess he'll make a good American."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Daniel—'Ullo, Jim! who be yew a-digging that 'ole for? Jim—Old Lawyer Skinner—'e died yesterday. Daniel—Oh! What complaint? Jim—Not a word o' complaint. Family rather pleased than otherwise.—Pele Mele.

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Grey Goose Rye,	2.50	7.20	2.70	5.25
Satisfaction Rye,	3.00	8.70	3.20	6.25
Old Henry Rye,	3.50	9.50	4.00	7.50
Jefferson Club Rye,	3.50	9.50	4.00	7.50
Greenwood Rye,	4.00	11.40	4.50	8.75
Highspire Rye,	5.00	13.50	6.00	11.00
N. C. Tuckahoe Corn,	2.00	5.75	2.20	4.20
N. C. Swallow Corn,	2.50	7.20	2.70	5.25
Virginia Corn Whiskey,	3.00	8.70	3.20	6.25
Very Old N. C. Corn Whiskey,	3.50	10.00		
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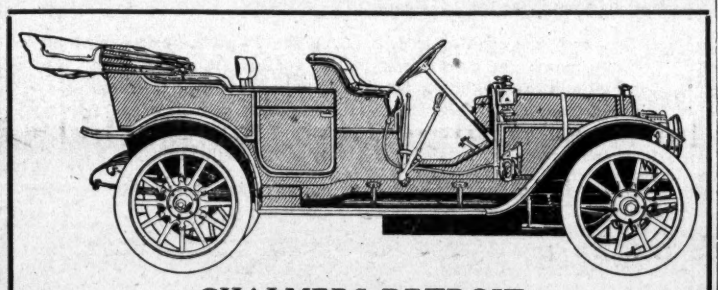

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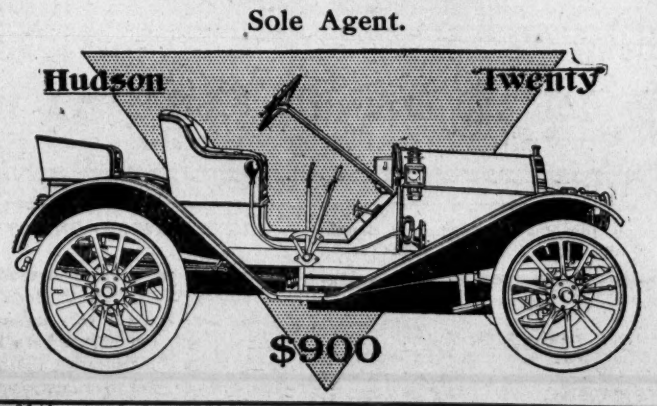

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Supt. Blair Getting Things in Readiness for Opening.

Supt. John J. Blair, superintendent of the city graded schools, has returned from his Summer vacation and was busy yesterday getting things in readiness for the opening of the schools Monday, October 4th. He visited the different school buildings and found that the work of improving them had progressed satisfactorily. Those who expect to enter the High School are requested to present themselves for examination and classification Friday and Saturday of this week. The small children who expect to enter Union and Hemenway schools for the first time are requested to go to the school buildings next Saturday, when the teachers will be there. The indications are that the enrollment in each of the schools of the city will be large.

—Lumberton Robesonian, Sept. 27: Marshall Clark, colored, head fireman at the plant of the Kingsdale Lumber Co., was shot at Kingsdale Saturday night between 8 and 9 o'clock by John Calvin George, also colored, a fireman at the same plant, and died of his injuries about 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The dead man was about 35 years old. His remains were taken last night to Dunn, his former home, where they will be interred today. George left immediately after the shooting, taking with him the gun with which he did te sooting and a box of sells, and has not yet been arrested. It seems that there had been bad blood between the negroes for some two weeks. From all that can be gathered it seems that Clark began to curse and abuse George and that the latter went to his home, got his gun, returning immediately, and shot Clark, the load taking effect in his abdomen. Dr. T. C. Johnson was summoned and reached the wounded man about 11 o'clock, but he was past medical aid. George is said to be a bad negro who has shot one or two other negroes, and it is said that he at one time shot his own father, his aim being good enough in that instance to knock his father's hat off. He came from Columbus county, his former home being about four miles from Whiteville. It is also said—though the exact state of affairs as to that cannot be ascertained now—that Elizabeth Harrington, the negro woman who was with Neill Goodman, the negro who was shot and killed by Policeman Currie here two weeks ago, and who was at least in a measure responsible for Goodman's raising the disturbance that resulted in his death, was at the bottom of the trouble between Clark and George. Sheriff McNeill has offered $10 reward for George.

—Smithfield Herald: The Smithfield Liquor Trust was organized and has been controlled by negroes. No trust organized in a town anywhere can boast of more complete organization or skillful control than this trust. There have been as many as forty or fifty persons connected with it. The liquor was ordered mostly from Virginia, and especially, since the closing of the nearby dispensaries. Some blockade liquor has been sold. The ordering was done in several different names so that no one would appear to be very much in the lead in ordering. There were several places where it was kept on hand when received. Then a large number were expected to sell what they could and go for it to a station where it was kept. Boys and women did a lot of the selling. They followed both the cash and the one price system. For corn liquor the trust price was 25c, for a half pint, 50c a pint and dollar a quart. While the blind tiger men at Benson were selling at thirty-five cents a pint, these negroes sold strictly at fifty cents. The business grew to such proportions that the white people of Smithfield realized that something had to be done to try to stop it. Arrangements were made to have a detective come and look into the matter. His work resulted in the arrest of several of the negroes who were tried before the mayor and bound over to court. Since that time they have been doing some business, but not so much as before. Now that court is over it is expected they will do more business than they have for the past several weeks.

—Mathematicians have been calculating the force of the sun's rays. They figure that it amounts to about 7,000-horse power per acre. Various inventions have attempted the harnessing of this enormous supply of power, but they are mostly in the "fancy" stage as yet. Years ago Prof. Edward S. Morse heated an ell of his house in Salem by means of a black slate wall exposed under glass on a southward side of the structure. Elaborate machinery for collecting the sun's rays and transmitting the translated power from a great wheel revolving on its axis has been set up in parts of the Southwest. But as yet no engineers have succeeded in poplarizing the means of transmuting the sun's energy. The savants seem to agree, however, that by the time the coal in the eatrh dries up the machinery will have been perfected for deriving the energy necessary for the whole world's work from the sun.—Washington Herald.

—'Rather crowded profession already, isn't it?" "Can't help that. I shall study medicine, and those who are already in the profession will have to take their chances, that's all!"—Pick-Me-Up.

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Edgar N. Bayliss, a merchant of Robinsonville, Del., wrote: "About two years ago I was thin and sick, and coughed all the time and if I did not have consumption, it was near to it. I commenced using Foley's Honey and Tar, and it stopped my cough, and I am now entirely well, and have gained twenty-eight pounds, all due to the good results from taking Foley's Honey and Tar."—Robert R. Bellamy.

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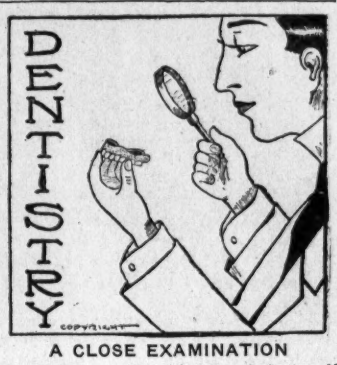

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The Morning Star.

Wednesday, September 29, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 29, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Tuesday, Sept 28th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 57 degrees; 8 P. M. 61 degrees; maximum 70 degrees; minimum 55 degrees; mean 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, trace; for the month, 1.23.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday 4.8 feet.

Weather Forecast.

Forecast for North Carolina: Fair and warer Wednesday; Thursday fair moderate vriable winds.

Port Calendar—Sept. 29.

Sun Rises.....6:05 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:00 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 2 min.
High water at Southport 7:30 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:30 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. O. Brown—Emancipation.

American National Bank—Savings Deposits.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. W. J. Davis, of Elizabethtown, is visiting in the city for a few days.

—Mrs. W. A. Farriss has gone to Henderson, N. C., to visit relatives for a few days.

—Mr. J. A. Murphy, of Atkinson, N. C., spent yesterday in Wilmington on a business trip.

—Mr. H. L. Caison, of Ashe, Brunswick county, was a Wilmington business visitor yesterday.

—Mr. D. R. Robinson, of Delta, Sampson county, was here yesterday making business calls.

—Dr. R. E. Markham has returned from Adairville, Ky., where he has been spending the Summer

—Graham Kenan, Esq., left yesterday for Raleigh, where he will appear before the Supreme Court.

—Ex-Sheriff Lyon, of Bladen county, came yesterday from his home at Kelley's on the steamer City of Fayetteville.

—Mrs. Wright Murphy, of Greensboro, is spending some time in the city on a visit to her brother, Mr. C. C. Covington.

—Mr. Harry C. Grant left last night for Baltimore, where he will enter the University of Maryland, to take the medical course.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis and infant son have returned from a very pleasant visit to Mr. Davis' sister, Mrs. C. E. Schachner, at Monroe, N. C.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were Charles Root, Raleigh; Moore Thompson, Abbottsburg, N. C.; W. J. Mathews, Goldsboro; H. L. Lyon, Whiteville.

—Messrs. J. A. Robertson, of Hamlet; H. P. Woodson, Burgaw; J. T. Jarman, of Kinston; John Daniel, of Goldsboro, were among the arrivals at the Colonial Inn yesterday.

—Mrs. Edwin B. Dudley, of Brunswick, Ga., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Peschau, No. 310 North Eighth street, and is being pleasantly greeted by her numerous Wilmington friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis and child leave this morning to visit Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Bryan, at Newton Grove. Mrs. Davis will spend some time in North Carolina before returning to her home at Lakeland, Fla.

—Mr. J. W. Wilson, manager of the Stieff Piano Company, who has been confined to his home for some time with an acute illness, is rapidly improving and will soon be able to resume his duties at the store.

—Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., who becomes pastor of the First Baptist church next Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Foster and children, arrived in Wilmington yesterday from Anniston, Ala. They are residing at No. 411 Dock street.

NOT SUMTER MURDERER

Negro Arrested Here Not the One Wanted in South Carolina.

Sheriff William McKagen, of Sumter county, S. C., arrived here yesterday to identify the negro arrested by Constable Chadwick, of Cape Fear township, Monday afternoon on suspicion of being Tony Moses wanted in Sumter for the murder of Policeman Clyde of that city nearly two years ago. After looking at the prisoner Sheriff McKagen said that he was not the right one. He said that the negro in custody here strongly resembled Tony Moses, but would not fill the bill as to height, the Moses negro not being so tall. The negro, who proved to be Will Gore and from Columbus county as he claimed, was released from custody. Sheriff McKagen returned to Sumter yesterday afternoon.

Decorating Committee to Meet.

Chairman J. H. Rehder, of the decorating committee for the Taft Day celebration, has called a meeting of his committee to be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 8 o'clock tonight. It is an important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

Seventy Years Old.

Rheumatism and neuralgia yield their pain to Perry Davis' Painkiller—so do sprains, burns, bruises. It cures colds, colic diarrhoea. For seventy years it has been doing good. If it's used early suffering is saved and danger avoided. A 35 cent bottle is the new size; but a 50 cent bottle is really the cheapest—it holds so much more.

LOCAL DOTS.

—First Church of Christ, Scientist, Market and 17th streets. Services tonight at 8:15. All are invited.

—Some 15 or 20 Fayetteville citizens spent yesterday afternoon in the city, arriving on the steamer City of Fayetteville at 11:30 in the morning and leaving at 11:30 o'clock last night on the return trip.

—The steamer Mohawk left here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Southport and will bring back to this city Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, and State Senator James A. Lockhart, of Wadesboro, who spoke there last night, and a party of friends.

—There will be an entertainment at the Union school house on the Castle Haynes road Thursday night, September 30th, for the benefit of the day and Sunday schools. Ice cream and other refreshments will be served. The public is cordially invited to attend.

—In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday morning Mary Hines, colored, of near Scott's Hill, was tried on the charge of slandering Amanda Nixon, colored, of the same community. The evidence was not sufficient to support the charge and the defendant was discharged and the prosecutor taxed with costs. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., represented the defendant.

DEATH OF YOUNG LADY

Miss Eva Sandlin Passed Away at Hospital Yesterday Morning.

Miss Eva Sandlin, who has made her home in this city for some time, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital at 2 o'clock yesterday morning of typhoid fever. Her condition had been alarming for several days and her death was not unexpected to her relatives and loved ones. Miss Sandlin made her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, 612 Wooster street, and the remains were taken there from the hospital. A funeral service was held from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Smith at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist church. The remains were taken on the 3 o'clock train to Verona, the old home of the deceased, where a funeral service will be held at 10 o'clock this morning, conducted by Mr. Martin. The interment will take place there.

Miss Sandlin was 17 years old and is survived by two sisters, Misses Ola and Dora Sandlin, of this city, and three brothers, Messrs. J. L. Sandlin, of Wilmington, D. F. Sandlin, of Folkstone, and Arthur Sandlin, of Kentucky. She was a faithful member of the Southside Baptist Church.

OPENING OF JOYLAND.

Postponement on Account of "Off-Color" Films at the Test.

The opening of "Joyland", the pretty, new moving picture theatre on Market street, had to be postponed yesterday for a most extraordinary reason and one which strongly commends the house to patrons of high-class motion pictures in the future. Yesterday morning when the film was put on the machine to be run for the test before exhibiting to the public, the proprietors discovered that one of the films, depicting the depravity of a Spanish nobleman, was too risque for the high standard set by the theatre for the class of its pictures and rather than proceed with anything the least "off color", it was decided not to open and so there was no show. Manager Pfeiffer will announce tomorrow the date for the re-opening of the theatre.

WILL BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION.

Theatre-Goers Invited to Inspect the New Academy Friday.

The Academy of Music is in readiness for its formal and big opening Saturday and theatre-goers will behold one of the prettiest and swellest playhouses in the entire South. It will really prove a revelation to many, and in order that the public may see just what has been done as to detail and how handsome a theatre Wilmington now has, Mr. S. A. Schloss yesterday decided to have "open house" there Friday. Any time during that day people will be welcomed at the Academy to go on a tour of inspection of the entire theatre. The theatre will be thrown open to the public and Mr. Schloss will appreciate a visit from any theatre-goer.

STRUCK WITH BILLIARD CUE.

Mr. E. S. Piver Painfully Injured by Mr. W. C. Suggs.

Constable W. B. Savage late yesterday afternoon arrested young Mr. W. C. Suggs, for an assault with the butt end of a billiard cue upon Mr. E. S. Piver, which occurred in the pool room of Mr. Melvin Horne, on Princess street, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Piver was struck in the back of the head and was painfully wounded. The wound was dressed by Dr. Morris M. Caldwell after Mr. Piver went to his home, corner of Sixth and Church streets. Mr. Suggs gave $50 bond for his appearance before the Recorder this morning. The trouble between the two men leading up to the assault was not learned by the officer.

SERIOUS OFFENSE CHARGED.

Mrs. Sarah E. Moore Arrested for Enticing Young Girls.

Mrs. Sarah E. Moore, who lives at 1313 North Seventh street, was arrested yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff A. T. Piver on a warrant sworn out before Justice G. W. Bornemann charging nuisance. It is alleged in the affidavit, which is signed by Ida Farrow, a young white girl, that Mrs. Moore entices young girls to her house for immoral purposes, the affiant being one of the victims. The defendant gave a $200 cash bond for her appearance at trial Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. She has retained counsel and will fight the case. The warrant was sworn out at the instigation of the mother of Miss Farrow.

Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician, said, "Watch your kidneys. When they are affected, life is in danger." Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, corrects urinary irregularities, and tones up the whole system.—Robert R. Bellamy.

MUSICAL SOCIETY MEETS.

Encouraging Prospects For Wilmington's Newly Organized Band.

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the North Carolina Musical Society was held in the Court House last night with the president, Dr. Russell Bellamy, presiding. The members spoke encouragingly of the prospects for the Wilmington band, which is the primary object of the organization.

Alderman W. L. West reported for the ways and means committee and stated that a number of subscriptions had been received. Colonel Walker Taylor is chairman of the committee. It is thought that by the next meeting the committee will be able to report a considerable amount subscribed for the band fund.

Next week will be benefit week at the Crystal Palace, Mr. S. A. Schloss having agreed to give a certain per cent. of the receipts to the musical organization. Several members of the band will furnish music at the popular theatre during the week under the leadership of Prof. E. H. Bruckmann, the leader of the band. It is also the purpose of the organization to give a big benefit concert in the Academy of Music within the next few weeks.

Dr. Bellamy reported that he had talked with two members of the Board of Audit and Finance and they had assured him that they would vote for a liberal appropriation for the band, also several aldermen had made the same promise. A meeting will be held Friday night for practice. There are about 25 members of the band who have their own instruments. As soon as the practices are well underway a junior band will be organized under the leadership of Professor Bruckmann.

It was stated that the organization would probably be granted the privilege of holding practices in the armory of the Wilmington Light Infantry, in the hall of the Boys' Brigade and in the hall at the Fourth and Campbell street market house.

The promoters state that within a very short time Wilmington will have a band of which it can well be proud.

LIVELY PERSONAL ENCOUNTER.

Fight Between Messrs. W. B. Brice and Archie King Yesterday.

Messrs. W. B. Brice and Archie King engaged in a lively personal encounter about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The difficulty occurred at a new house being erected by Contractor W. J. Spooner near Fifth and Ann streets. Mr. Brice received several ugly looking bruises about the left eye.

The men came on down town and King went in Justice Bornemann's office and surrendered. A warrant was issued and served by Deputy Sheriff A. T. Piver. Justice Bornemann says he recognized the prisoner for 15 minutes as he (King) desired to go down the street for that length of time. In the meantime Mr. Spooner went before Recorder Furlong and swore out two warrants, one against Messrs. Brice and King for an affray and another against King for trespass, Mr. Spooner alleging that he had forbidden King to come on the property on which the new building was being erected. The warrants were given to Capt. Robt. Green and he served them, finding King near Third and Princess streets. When Messrs. Brice and King met in the Recorder's office King attempted to fight him again. The Recorder committed King to jail and recognized Mr. Brice for trial today.

FUNERAL OF MR. LATHROP.

Impressive Services Held From the Late Residence Yesterday.

In the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, impressive funeral services were held from the family residence, 213 North Fifth street, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, over the remains of Mr. Edward S. Lathrop, whose sudden death in Charlotte Sunday night was announced in this paper yesterday morning. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, the newly elected pastor of the First Baptist Church, who arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, assisted by Rev. J. A. Smith. There were many beautiful floral designs which attested in a measure the high esteem in which the deceased was held here and elsewhere. The interment followed in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Dr. A. M. Baldwin, Messrs. W. B. Cooper, W. C. Peterson, Fulton P. Allen, C. C. Brown, George E. Leftwich and D. H. Penton. Mr. P. A. Fore, of Richmond, Va, a brother-in-law of the deceased, was among the out-of-town relatives here for the funeral.

VETERANS' REUNION AT BURGAW

Daughters of Confederacy Planning Delightful Day for Soldiers.

The Daughters of Confederacy, of Burgaw, are planning a most interesting and pleasant day for all veretans who care to attend the annual reunion of Companies E and B, of Duplin and Pender counties at Burgaw on next Thursday. It will be an all-day affair and all the old soldiers are invited to come and make a day of it. The Daughters will serve an elegant luncheon and among the speakers will be Dr. John M. Faison, of Faison, and Mr. W. J. Boney, of Wallace. Mr. Boney will give some impressions of the late reunion of the blue and gray in Utica, N. Y., which was such a marvelous success and Dr. Faison will speak along general lines of interest to the veterans and their friends. The meetings will be held in the afternoon and the morning and noon hours will be given to the delightful informalities of an old-fashioned reunion. It will be a great day for all the old soldiers of the two counties and they are expected in large numbers.

A Hurry Up Call.

Quick! Mr. Druggist—Quick!—A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a quarter—For the love of Moses, hurry! Baby's burned himself terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—Mamie's scalded—Pa can't walk from piles—Billie has boils—and my corns ache. She got it and soon cured all the family. It's the greatest healer on earth. Sold by R. R. Bellamy.

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There's a popular idea that because a man has a small tailor shop of his own he can make better clothes that fit and wear better and are more stylish than those you can buy ready-to-wear.

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The Kirschbaum brand of clothes have a large tailoring plant and employ the best tailors that money can hire and the suits turned out by them, although sold for much less than the order-made kind, fits better, is made better, gives better service, and is a better piece of material in every case.

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The Theatre

Again yesterday the Crystal Palace did big business, which was proof sufficient that the present bill has caught the fancy of amusement lovers. Each audience yesterday also gave hearty approval of the bill. The musical act of Schwab and Snell is proving exceptionally catchy, because it is presented with much glittering paraphernalia and without doubt the performers are good musicians. Their instruments, too, are of very attrac-

MISS BARTLETT.
Favorite Singer in Classical Songs at Crystal Palace.

tive type, the immense musical rattles coming in for much notice and wonderment. The other acts on the bill are good and each gets an encore at every performance, which in itself is a test of its merit.

A Big New York Show.

When Saturday, matinee and night, "A Gentleman From Mississippi" is given at the New Academy of Music, playgoers of this city will be shown what has proved to be the most successful American play of the last 20 years, with the possible exception of "The Man of the Hour." The two plays are not, however, to be compared as to kind; for the latter was a dramatic work of special significance as to the times, while "A Gentleman From Mississippi" is comedy pure and simple, telling a wholesome and domestic tale that is entirely likely and possible, and using to tell it the especial atmosphere of Washington, the National Capital. The comedy is the work of Harrison Rhodes, the American playwright and novelist, and Thomas A. Wise, the distinguished actor, and is offered the public by William A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer, whose productions in past seasons have invariably won the approval of this community.

The story of "A Gentleman From Mississippi" is of an old school Southerner who, after 40 years of useful life in his native State, is persuaded that he can do his country some service by accepting the nomination for United States Senator. With no guile, he accepts, and is elected. What he does not know is that a ring of Senators and lobbyists has made his election possible in order that his vote may aid them in a scheme for their own enrichment. But he engages as private secretary a spry, bright, clean-handed, and clean-minded young newspaper man, and this chap, "Bud" Haines, soon shows the new Senator the game, the way to play it, and the way to win honestly. An incidental love affair of unusual charm is between the Senator's younger daughter and the newspaper man turned secretary.

The sale of seats will commence at the Crystal Palace at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

At the Bijou Today.

The Bijou announces an excellent bill for today. The feature pictures are "A Dangerous Pair," a comedy, and "The Temptation," a dramatic story. The former is said to be one of the best comedy pictures yet shown at the Bijou and the latter story is superbly acted by a cast that brings out to the fullest its intensely dramatic values.

FRENCH MILLINERY PARLORS.

Pretty Display of New and Exclusive Styles Captivated Ladies.

The French Millinery Parlors, upstairs at the popular dry goods establishment of Capt. A. D. Brown, on Front street, was the mecca to which hundreds of ladies journeyed yesterday in response to the announcement that on that date would begin the annual Fall and Winter display of fashionable millinery. The parlors are reached by an easy elevator service and visitors were most cordially welcomed to as pretty a display of fashionable millinery goods as has ever been brought to Wilmington. All the new and exclusive styles are shown and Miss Northam, the proprietor, and her assistants received many compliments on the beautiful selections. This season's styles as reflected in the stock are chic and decidedly attractive and Fashion's latest decree in headgear and trimmings are eminently set out in the beautiful line so elegantly displayed at the French Millinery Parlors.

DAVID'S

THREE hundred years ago, Henry Hudson, an adventurous Dutch sailor, in a little ship called the "Half Moon," sailed up what is now the harbor of New York, and up the great river which now bears his name.

Two hundred years later, a hundred years ago, Robert Fulton, amid the jeers and ridicule of his fellow townsmen, who said he was a crank, and couldn't possibly do it, made a voyage up the same historic river, from New York to Albany, in the "Clermont," the first vessel ever propelled by steam.

And now the country is celebrating these two historic events in a great pageant; the two clumsy little vessels, reproduced in exact size and appearance, are to be saluted by a great fleet of warships, assembled from all the big navies of the world; and civic and military parades and commemorative exercises are to be held in honor of these two historic events in the progress of civilization.

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You can join in this sort of a celebration; you can wear these clothes now; you don't have to engage in any voyages of discovery, nor endure the ridicule of your friends; you can be as well dressed as any man in America, at small expense of time and money, by coming to this store and getting into Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes.

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THE OIL INSPECTION ACT.

Developments at Raleigh Are Being Watched With Interest Here.

Wilmington being a very large distributing point, the people here have followed with some interest the arguments before the Commisisoner of Agriculture opposing the new act regulating the inspection of oils and were surprised to learn from the Raleigh correspondence of the Star yesterday that the Standard Oil Company appeared for the first time on the afternoon of the 27th. From the number of times the counsel for that company, Mr. James H. Pou, has been before the Commission, it had been suspected that, at least, some parts of the new law were not altogether to the Standard's liking.

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STEPHENS CASE THURSDAY

Special Venire of 200 Drawn From Which to Select the Jury—Cases Disposed of in Superior Court Yesterday.

Joseph Stephens, the young white man charged with the killing of E. R. Shields on the morning of July 9th, in the northern part of the city, will be placed on trial for his life in Superior Court Thursday. The shooting took place on the northwest corner of Sixth and Campbell streets, in front of the store of Mr. W. H. Millan, and Mr. Shields lived only a few moments after the fatal shot was fired. Stephens immediately gave himself up to Constable W. B. Savage and has been in jail ever since the tragedy.

The prisoner was carried into court yesterday morning and in his presence a special venire of 200 men from which to select a jury was drawn. They will be summoned to appear in court Thursday morning at 10 o'clock when it is expected that the task of selecting the jury will be commenced. It will very likely require considerable time to select the 12 men who shall decide the fate of the young man. The case against Stephens was called at the last term of Superior court, but a continuance was granted at the request of counsel for the defendant, Hon. John D. Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq., two of the ablest criminal lawyers in the State. The solicitor will be assisted in the prosecution by Joseph W. Little, L. Clayton Grant and Louis Goodman, Esqs., prominent young members of the bar. This is expected to be the hardest fought case tried in this county in many months, and every inch of ground will be contested by the attorneys on either side.

There is much interest in the case and the court room will doubtless be crowded with spectators. The trial will consume at least two or three days of the time of the court.

When court convened yesterday morning Judge Allen passed sentence on the three negro youths, Lawrence Swinson, Tom Bowden and Joe Williams, convicted the day before of the larceny of money and some household articles from Eva Davis, a woman of questionable character. Lawrence Swinson was given a sentence of 18 months on the county roads. The jury recommended to the mercy of the court the other two defendants, and the judge apprenticed them out, Tom Bowden to Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., until he is 17 years of age, and Joe Williams to E. M. Koonce, Esq., of Jacksonville, until he is 18 years of age.

Walter Hayes, colored, convicted in the Recorder's court several weeks ago of complicity in the larceny of pieces of clothing from three other negroes and given 18 months on the county roads, was found not guilty in one case by the Superior court jury. The defendant took an appeal to Superior court. Hayes was convicted in the Recorder's court upon the testimony of Josiah Martin, colored, who swore that he and Hayes stole the goods. Martin had been previously convicted and sentenced to 18 months on the roads and was brought in to testify. He also testified yesterday and made the same statement. Five other witnesses testified that they saw two men at the house from which he goods were stolen but could not identify them. The defendant was represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq. The other two cases will probably be nol prosed.

Lillie Smith, colored, pleaded guilty to charges of assault with deadly weapon and disorderly conduct. She was convicted in the Recorder's court a few days ago on these charges and sentenced to three months on the farm in the former and 30 days in the latter. She appealed from the judgment of the Recorder. Judge Allen sentenced her to three months in the assault case and suspended judgment in the disorderly conduct case.

The grand jury yesterday morning returned a true bill against Paul Neal, the young white boy from Mullins, S. C., charged with forgery. He is accused of forging the name of Mr. B. F. Penny to a draft which was presented at the Southern National Bank to be cashed. It will be recalled that the the father of the lad, a prominent tobacco warehouseman of Mullins, S. C., came here after the boy had been arrested and gave a $50 bond for his appearance at the September term of court. The youth was sent to a reformatory in Richmond, Va. It is not likely that the prosecution of the lad will be pushed.

Arthur Walker, colored, was found guilty at the morning session of the charge of assault with deadly weapon upon Allen Arnold, colored, by striking him with a beer bottle. Walker testified that he did not use a bottle, but all the witnesses in the case testified that he did. The solicitor drew a bill charging Walker with perjury and the grand jury returned it marked "true bill." The grand jury found "not a true bill" against Walker in a case for store breaking. It was charged that he broke into the store of a colored man. A true bill was returned in a case against him for highway robbery and the trial of this case was commenced yesterday afternoon. It is charged that Walker snatched a pocket book from Kate Koonce, colored, on the streets a few weeks ago. When court adjourned all the witnesses for the State had been examined except Mr. C. VanAmringe, who failed to appear. The judge of the court was ni sci for $40 and instanter subpoena. Judge Allen stated that the fine would stand unless the witness had a good excuse to offer. Solicitor Duffy said that this had occurred before and some means had to be adopted to assure the presence of witnesses when they are summoned. Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., appears for Walker.

Easter Williams, a colored woman, was convicted of an assault upon Vina Brockington, colored, with a knife. She was convicted in the Recorder's court and given three months, and an appeal to the higher court. Judge Allen sentenced her to three months on the farm. Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., represented the defendant.

A case against John Lowe, colored, charged with retailing, was nol prosed.

The grand jury yesterday morning returned indictments against the following for failure to pay the special license tax: J. R. Turrentine, Jr., A. E. Peschau and The Southern Trading Stamp Company. It is understood that Messrs. Turrentine and Peschau, who are engaged in the brokerage business, refused to pay the tax on advice of counsel, contending that they are engaged in Inter-State Commerce and are not liable under the law. The Supreme Court will probably be asked to pass upon the point involved.

INLAND WATERWAYS SURVEY

The Sounds Route From Beaufort to Cape Fear River Completed.

The first of the inland waterway survey from Beaufort to the Cape Fear river via the sound route, carried on by government engineers under the supervision of Captain Earle I. Brown, Corps Engineers, U. S. A., has been completed, and the interior route through the rivers is now being surveyed.

The engineers aboard the houseboat "Sunshine" which spent the first of September in Wrightsville sound, while that portion of the route was being planned, is now at Pollocksville, on the Trent river. The proposed interior route is by way of the Trent, White Oak and New rivers, and the "Sunshine" with the corps of engineers will proceed next to Maysville and thence to Jacksonville, N. C. The last lap of the survey will be from New River across to Bannerman's Bridge on the Northeast river.

As soon as the present interior survey is completed the plans and specifications of the two routes will be carefully considered by the Government to determine the best and most economical route and the work of carrying the project out will commence shortly afterwards.

As will be recalled the proposed route is from Beaufort down the Cape Fear to Southport and thence to Little River, S. C., at least this is all underway at the present time, and another corps of engineers are progressing splendidly with the route from the latter points. This survey from Southport to Little River was commenced during the first of this month and the engineers have now carried it to Lockwood's Folly, which is fully one-third the distance.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Several Interesting Cases Disposed of Yesterday Morning.

Recorder Furlong held a rather interesting session of his court in his office on Princess street yesterday morning. Mitchell Charvalias, a Greek, was convicted of the charge of assault with deadly weapon upon William Cromartie, colored, and was fined $10 and costs. Cromartie darted out of Recorder Furlong's office Monday afternoon while a warrant was being drawn against him for assault on the Greek and he has not yet been located. Three eye-witnesses to the affair were present, however, and testified that the Greek dealt Cromartie several terrific blows on the side of the head.

Charlie Morris, colored, was convicted of assault with deadly weapon upon Rosa St. George, colored, and was fined $25 and costs, or three months on the roads. According to the evidence he struck the woman in the mouth with a rock making a painful wound.

Jason Capehart, colored, was tried on the charge of stealing a pair of trousers from George Davis, colored, the case being sent up from Justice McD. Evans' court. The defendant was found guilty and sentenced to six months on the county roads from which he appealed to the Superior Court.

The cases against Mr. Geo. W. Britt, charged with violating the building law, sent up from Justice Harriss' court, was continued until Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Fales Very Ill.

Mrs. J. B. Fales, wife of Alderman Fales, underwent an operation at the James Walker Memorial hospital last night and while her condition is quite serious, many friends in the city will be pleased to learn that she was resting well at a late hour last night. Dr. F. H. Russell is the attending physician.

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USING TERMINAL WAREHOUSE.

Vessels Are Discharging at Seaboard's New Structure—A Delay.

Vessels consigned to the Seaboard Air Line have commenced discharging their cargoes in the first of the big new warehouses, which will be entirely completed by the middle of October. Already one cargo of salt and one of cement have been stored there and the schooner Edith H. Symington was towed into a slip yesterday morning to discharge cargo of salt.

Efforts were being made to complete this warehouse by the first of October, but an unexpected delay in receiving material will require several more weeks.

The work which has been carried on by the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Company has progressed in a most satisfactory manner and has filled all the requirements of the contract. The foundation work for the second warehouse is nearing completion.

BIG GATHERING AT VINELAND

Correspondents' Picnic of Whiteville News-Reporter on Friday.

Advices from Columbus county are to the effect that there will be a very large gathering of the people from far and near for the semi-annual convention of the more than one hundred correspondents of the Whiteville News-Reporter at Vineland, N. C., on Friday of this week. Hon. Josephus Daniels, National committeeman and editor of the Raleigh News and Observer, will be the chief speaker but there will be a number of others. The people of Wilmington and surrounding counties are cordially invited. In addition to the formal part of the exercises there will be exhibits of the county's products in the large tobacco warehouse, where an elegant dinner will be spread. Several thousand people are expected. Editor T. L. Gantt is to be congratulated upon the successful culmination of his plans for this great undertaking.

GALE STILL BLOWING

Weather Dangerous to Shipping—Symington Had Rough Voyage.

The heavy northeast gale off the North Carolina coast is reported to have continued yesterday and numbers of ships along the coast have been seeking harbor for the past two days. The schooner Edith R. Symington, which arrived in port Monday from New York via Cape Henry, experienced an unusually rough trip in which several of her sails were torn. She managed to gain port without any further accident.

While the Symington was en route from New York to this port Mate Thurber, who has been with this vessel for many years and has visited this port frequently, became seriously ill. His condition was so serious that the vessel put into Cape Henry where he was placed in the hospital. It will probably be several months before he is able to return to the ship.

POSTAL IMPROVEMENTS.

The Call Bell District is Being Rebuilt in This City.

Some material improvements are being made by the Postal Telegraph in this city, principally the rebuilding of the entire call bell system in the city. This work is being superintended by Mr. J. F. Heard, from the division headquarters in Richmond, Va. The Postal company has recently added considerably to its local facilities for the rapid dispatch of business and at present contemplates still more improvements. Additional call bell boxes will be installed and new connections are being placed. With this work completed it will be a guarantee of a good call bell service at all times.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Col. J. VanB. Metts and wife to Lillie Jane Knox, for $150, lot on southern line of Dock, 30 feet from Magnolia street, 33x75 feet in size; W. R. V. Norwood, of Iredell county, to Giles W. Westbrook, Vance Norwood, N. J. Northram, A. P. Southerland and E. T. Conway, trustees of Wrightsville M. E. church, for $10, 2 1-2 acres of land in Harnett township, adjoining the lands of Lewis Nixon and others; C. D. Weeks and wife to H. W. Konig, lot on south side of Brunswick, 105 1-2 feet east of Third street, 59 1-2x66 feet in size; Elsie Williams to W. E. Patterson and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on northern line of Rankin, 75 1-2 feet west of Dickenson street, 33x66 feet in size.

Remember, Thursday, September 30th, and Friday, October 1st, marks the opening of the greatest Fall Millinery Showing ever known in Wilmington. Gaylord's. **

TWO POWERFUL SERMONS.

Interest Increasing in Fifth Street M. E. Church Revival.

Rev. D. H. Coman preached two powerful sermons at Fifth Street Methodist Church yesterday, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock last night. Both services were attended by large congregations and intense interest was manifested. Mr. Comar is a man of scholarly attainments, a deep thinker and an eloquent speaker and expounds the Gospel in a wonderful manner. Those who have heard him say that he is one of the ablest divines ever heard from a Wilmington pulpit. It is the desire of the pastor, Rev. K. D. Holmes, that every person in Wilmington hear this man of God and he feels sure that they will be benefitted by the message he delivers. Last night his sermon was based on the fact that the Christian people are members of the body of Christ, spiritually speaking. Services today at 4 and 8 P. M. The public cordially invited.

WILLIAMS COMEDY CO.

Mr. W. S. Wishart, Clever Advance Representative, in the City.

Mr. W. S. Wishart, advance representative of the Williams Stock Company, one of the very best popular-priced attractions on the road this season, arrived in the city yesterday and is making arrangements for the coming of the show to the Academy here all next week as the first repertoire company of the season. Mr. Wishart is a member of the Fourth Estate and was formerly foreman of the Robesonian at Lumberton and the very capable agent and correspondent of the Star at that place. He is always given the glad hand in any print shop which he enters, but especially in this office is he thrice welcome. The Williams company will open Monday night with ladies free as a special courtesy and doubtless the initial attraction will be greeted by a standing-room-only house.

THE FOOTBALL FETE.

Arranging for Benefit Event at W. L. I. Armory Friday.

A meeting of the committee on entertainment and a number of young ladies who will assist in the football benefit fete at the W. L. I. armory Friday night, held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the armory and discussed arrangements for the enjoyable affair.

In addition to the interesting and pleasing features arranged it has been decided to give an athletic programme. This will probably be under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Another meeting of the entertainment committee will be held at the armory this evening at 8 o'clock when definite arrangements will be made.

WINTER SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED.

Goes Into Effect on Tidewater's Suburban Line Tomorrow.

The schedule for the Winter season on the suburban line of the Tidewater Power Company has been announced and goes into effect tomorrow.

The change will go in effect as follows: with special cars on Sunday afternoons: Leaving Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 A. M., and 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M. and leaving the Beach at 7:45, 9:15, 10:45 A. M. and 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 9:15 P. M.

The freight car will leave the city daily at 4 P. M. with the exception of Sunday. A complete schedule is given elsewhere in today's paper.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Popular Young Couple Will Wed Here October 6th.

Invitations announcing the marriage of a popular young couple are being received by friends in the city, as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Henry Burtt
request the honor of your presence at
the marriage of their daughter
Elizabeth Divine
to
Mr. Gustav Hagedorn
on the afternoon of Wednesday
October the sixth
nineteen hundred and nine
at half after five o'clock
First Baptist Church
Wilmington, North Carolina.

Postmasters in Raleigh Today.

Postmaster T. E. Wallace, of this city, left last night for Raleigh, where he will be in attendance at the convention of the North Carolina postmasters, which will be in session for three days beginning today. The convention will be especially interesting this year and addresses will be made by several prominent North Carolinians and representatives from the Postoffice Department in Washington. It is expected that the attendance will be large.

TAFT TO ASK FUNDS

(Continued From First Page.)

for the speed with which the work has been done.

"I think it wise to apply to Congress for relief by urging the passage of an enabling act which shall permit the Secretary of the Interior to issue bonds in the sum of $10,000,000 or more to complete all the projects.

"No one can visit this western country without being overwhelmingly convinced of the urgent necessity for the proper treatment of arid and semi-arid lands by the extension of a system of irrigation.

"Never until now has adequate provision been made for a classification of lands to show distinctly what are mineral lands and what are agricultural lands. The truth is that the needs of the country have developed so and the demand also has much increased, that in order to secure a sensible business-like disposition of the lands remaining in the public domain there must be an authoritative classification of lands by the proper bureau.

"As to water power sites, there has been such a change in conditions that a special provision should be made in the interest of the public for their transfer to private control. We have reached a time now when the importance of these water power sites has greatly increased and there would seem to be no reason why it would interfere with the speedy development of the country to impose destrictions upon the use of such waters and equitable as between the public and he investor.

"I shall therefore urge upon Congress at its next session the passage of a law authorizing the disposition of such water power sites, upon terms to be agreed upon by the Secreary of the Interior with the proposed purchaser. My impression is that the demand for water power is going to be so great that these restrictions will not prevent the investment of capital but will ultimately bring into public coffers a revenue from an entirely proper source."

COL JONES AT SOUTHPORT.

President of Transcontinental Enthusiastically Received.

Southport, N. C., Sept. 28.—Col. S. A. Jones, of Waynesville, president of the Transcontinental Railroad, and State Senator J. A. Lockhart, of Anson county, addressed a large gathering in the Court House here tonight under the auspices of the Southport Chamber of Commerce. Representative C. Ed Taylor, of Southport, presided, and excellent music was furnished by the military band of Fort Caswell. Both Col. Jones and Mr. Lockhart were enthusiastically received and much interest was manifested in Col. Jones' great project for a railroad to this place and the development of a great coaling station here. Among those in attendance from Wilmington were Capt. Earl I. Brown, U. S. Corps of Engineers, and Mrs. Brown; Collector B. F. Keith; Maj. E. W. VanC. Lucas, Mr. James H. Chadbourn, president of the North Carolina Waterways Association; C. N. Evans, cashier of the Southern National Bank, and Mr. Meares Harris, secretary of the North Carolina Waterways Association, who made a report of the proceedings. The Wilmington party returned to Wilmington tonight.

Go With a Rush.

The demand for that wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney cure, Dr. King's New Life Pills—is astounding R. R. Bellamy says he never saw the like. It's because they never fail to cure sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, chills and malaria. Only 25c.

Health and Beauty Aid

Cosmetics and lotions will not clear your complexion of pimples and blotches like Foley's Orino Laxative, for indigestion, stomach and liver trouble and habitual constipation. Cleanses the system and is pleasant to take. Robert R. Bellamy.

Growing children need just the things that are in Quaker Oats.

It is a great strength builder and is digested easily.

School For Young Ladies

Miss Hart. Miss Brown.

The next session will begin

THURSDAY, THIRTIETH of SEPTEMBER.

Punctual attendance at the beginning of the session is necessary to a creditable stand.

Miss Hobday will resume instruction in Stenography, Voice Culture and Music.

Apply to the
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114 Orange Street.

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THE BELLWILL MILLS.

Mr. J. A. Fowler, Elon College, Appointed Superintendent.

It is reported that Mr. J. A. Fowler, at present superintendent of the Ossipee Mills, Elon College, has been appointed superintendent of the Bellwill Cotton Mills, formerly the Wilmington Cotton Mills, which is expected to begin operations within a short time now. It will be recalled that the property was recently purchased by Hon. John D. Bellamy and Mr. J. Walter Williamson. The plant will employ about 125 operatives and will mean the circulation of considerably more money in Wilmington.

GOING DOWN EVERY DAY

Although She Had a Good Physician, Mrs. Beaty Was Going Down Till She Took Cardui.

Lusk, Tex.—"I want to tell you how much I have been benefitted by Cardui," writes Mrs. E. Beaty, of Lusk, Tex. "I had female trouble, pains in my back, a dizzy, dull headache, palpitation of the heart, fullness at my stomach, and was so weak I could only sit up a little while at a time and began to have fevers every day.

"I had one of our best physicians treating me, but was going down rapidly every day, so decided to try Cardui. Before I had finished the first bottle I felt much improved in every way. I have taken 10 bottles and am now up and able to do my work."

When you are weak, take Cardui, for it will help to make you strong as it has helped thousands of other sick women.

Its ingredients are perfectly harmless, its action is gentle, and it will not interfere with any other medicine you may be taking.

Use it freely. It will help you.

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EMANCIPATION IS AT HAND

from your troubles if you are worrying over the proper way to repair a broken wheel, shaft, or running gear in your carriage or wagon. Don't try it yourself, but make the repair sure and permanent by bringing it to an expert in this line like

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ACADEMY
SCHLOSS THEATRE CIRCUIT
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2ND.
MATINEE AND NIGHT.

Wm. A. Brady & Jos. R. Grismer Announce
A GENTLEMAN FROM MISSISSIPPI
By Rhodes & Wise.

Seats on sale Friday at the Crystal Palace.
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HEAR SCHWAB AND SNELL ON THE GIANT MUSICAL RATTLES.
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5 Cents.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Kinston, Sept. 27.—Albert Whaley, a white man who skipped his bond over a year ago, has been captured and placed in jail. Whaley was apprehended at Selma, where he was working at a saw mill. He was taken by Deputy Sheriff Gray.

—Winston-Salem, Sept. 27.—Twenty-one months in the county jail was the sentence imposed today in the Recorder's court on Minnie Brown, a negro woman, for conviction in three cases of illegally selling cocaine. Her counsel gave notice of appeal and bond was fixed at $500.

—Wadesboro Ansonian: A party of surveyors are preparing to survey Rocky River for a proposed water power at the Davis Ford in Burnsville township. The men behind this project are favorably impressed with the site and it is highly probable that a large dam will be built on the Stanly side of the river.

—Shelby Star, Sept. 25: The Star man in conversation with Mr. S. E. Bostic, one of the town's oldest citizens, was reminded that last Monday was the anniversary of a killing frost, which fell here September 20, 1853, or 56 years ago. Mr. Bostic says that on that date all vegetation was killed, cotton was damaged and late corn was put out of business entirely.

—Wilson, Sept. 27.—Last Saturday night in Kenly, Johnston county John Adkins entered a church while the congregation was singing. He requested the preacher to stop the singing for a moment as he wished to say something to Gurley Davis, a negro, who was sitting in the congregation. When everything became quiet Adkins asked Davis: "Why did you insult my wife today?" and then began to shoot. Four shots were fired, three taking effect. Davis died the next day. Adkins is now in jail.

—Winston-Salem, Sept. 27.—A year ago, W. G. Wright, a Forsyth farmer, 60 years old, was indicted by his son on the charge of attempting to criminally assault one of his daughters. At a hearing the evidence tended to show that the old man was insane and Wright was sentenced to the insane ward of the State prison. Today Superintendent Laughinghouse notified Court Clerk Transom that Wright's mental faculties were all right now and that he would be returned here for trial on the criminal assault charge.

—Winston-Salem, Sept. 27—A smoker was given in the palm room of the Hotel Zinzendorf tonight by the board of trade complimentary to the representatives of The New York Herald and The Atlanta Journal, who are here in the pathfinding cars for the national highway. Great enthusiasm was shown and many prominent citizens expressed the status of this section as overwhelmingly in favor of good roads, which are multiplying almost daily. The newspaper men made short addresses that were well received.

—Charlotte Observer, Sept. 28: The registration of the weather observer's instruments yesterday showed that the coldest spell for many moons is on, the temperature coming as low as 51 degrees yesterday. It hasn't been but about a month since the hottest day of the year was declared. No reports of frost in the county have been received, but it is beyond question that there would have been touches of the deadly white but for the temper of the nocturnal winds. Frost at this season will mean another curtailment of cotton production, but it is not figured that the damage will be material on account of the rapid development of the crop during the maturing season.

—Thomasville, Sept. 27.—Mr. Frank H. Fleer, wife and two daughters arrived here the last of the week from their home in Philadelphia and will spend ten days at Cedar Lodge, Mr. Fleer's shooting preserve, before returning North. The trip was made in automobiles, a Royal Tourist and a Stearns being used. Cedar Lodge was formerly the home of the late John W. Thomas, founder of Thomasville, and the house now used by Mr. Fleer was built by Mr. Thomas and Mr. Fleer has been careful in making additions to always preserve the antique appearance of the old Thomas homesteady. Mr. Fleer has bought up a large tract of land adjoining his preserve and is now trying his hand at farming. He claims to be an agriculturist instead of a farmer. He explains the difference: "A farmer makes his money in the country and spends it in town; an agriculturalist makes his money in the city and spends it in the country."

—Durham, Sept. 27.—Mr. G. W. Watts, the author of one of the city's most far-reaching philanthropies, the Watts Hospital, is at home from Richmond, where, among other things, he made arrangements for the furnishing of the hospital and for the opening which is expected about November 1st. In addition to being what physicians generally pronounce the most magnificent hospital between Baltimore and New Orleans, the whole burden of providing for it in its beginning has been assumed by Mr. Watts. The building which had been planned for a $75,000 structure turns out to be a $200,000 and the furnishings will doubtless take the larger portion of another $100,000. These aren't matters that a modest man like Mr. Watts will discuss, but it is fairly certain that this act of charity will cost him $400,000. The actual work will be done within two weeks but the furnishings are not expected before October 20th. When it is ready to be opened, it will be turned over to the city with the single request that no worthy charity persons be denied its benefits.

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Every woman covets a shapely figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish forms after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided by the use of **Mother's Friend** before baby comes, as this liniment prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. **Mother's Friend** makes the danger of child-birth less, and carries her safely through this critical period. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this remedy. Sold by druggists at $1 00 per bottle.

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This historic celebration will take place from Saturday, September 25th, to Saturday, October 9th. The principal events during the first eight days will occur in greater New York and in the Hudson River opposite the city. The following week the celebration will continue at the Hudson river cities and villages from New York to Troy.

This event, commemorating the 300th anniversary of the navigation of the Hudson river by Hendrik Hudson and the 102nd of the operation of the first steamboat by Robert Fulton, will present a spectacle in land and water parades and illumination such as the world never witnessed.

All the great navies of the world will be abundantly represented, which with other craft, including replicas of the historic "Halfmoon" and "Clermont," will go to make up a water parade of a thousand or more vessels and on the land there will be gorgeous spectacles in floats, parades, reviews, exhibitions, decorations and a thousand and one object lessons in our 300 years' progress.

Every day will be a picture of a veritable fairyland and millions of electric lights of all colors and sizes will fairly turn night into day.

For this occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will sell on September 23rd to 30th, inclusive, round trip tickets to New York at the low rate of $21.00 from Wilmington. The tickets will be limited returning to leave New York any time up to and including October 10th.

Through schedules are shown in another column of The Star. Reservations in sleeping cars may be made by telephoning 160 and this matter should be attended to at once by those contemplating the trip.
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TO
THE BEACH
SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
Effective Monday, September 13, 1909.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Lumina
	6:10 A. M.
6:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
7:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
7:10 P. M.	7:45 P. M.
8:30 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	10:45 P. M.
11:30 P. M.	

FREIGHT.
10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M.
Freight depot open 9:00 to 10:00 A. M. and 2:00 to 4:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

	7:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
7:10 P. M.	7:45 P. M.
8:30 P. M.	9:15 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	10:45 P. M.
11:30 P. M.	

FREIGHT.
11:00 A. M. Depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

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New York and Wilmington.
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S. S. "Carib".....Saturday, Oct. 9th
Wilmington to Georgetown.
S. S. "Navahoe"...Monday, Sept. 27th
S. S. "Carib".....Monday, Oct. 4th
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3,000 Bushels N. C., Texas and O. K. Rust Proof Oats.
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NOTICE.
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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington ...	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount....	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia ...	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York.....	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York.....	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:48 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	6:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:35 pm	11.28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount..	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND. Via Wilson

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh .	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville ..	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington ...	12:40 am	1:35 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington..	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville...	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

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Daily Except Sunday.

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No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 32 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.
TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n.....	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton.....	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton.....	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet.....	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte....	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 69 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.
No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.
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Lv. Petersburg ...	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg ...	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis.....	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 28.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 58 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $1.80 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $2.25 per barrel for hard; $3.75 for dip and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50, $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine 15
Rosin ....(—)
Tar 68
Crude Turpentine 48

Receipts, same day last year 5 casks spirits turpentine; 98 barrels rosin; 3 barrels tar; 19 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet 13 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Quiet, 9 1-16 cents.

Receipts—3,825 bales, same day last year 7,504 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 25.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 25 and 26 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents; scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 12 1-2c; green, 9c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 60@65c per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 25c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—A very nervous and irregular market followed yesterday's sharp break in cotton but there was better support and at times prices showed considerable strength, although the close was barely steady at a net gain of only 1 to 10 points. The opening was steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 6 points, near months being relatively steady under a little scattering liquidation inspired by October notices. There was good buying of October by a leading New Orleans trader on the call. However, it was soon seen that the notices were very few and were being promptly stopped, and October quickly joined in a general advancing tendency due to the large English spot sales, higher late cables, a renewal of bull support, and covering by recent sellers. There were rumors that the report of the National Ginners' Association would make the condition about 60 per cent., but the trade continues of the opinion that the government report next Monday would be bullish and during the middle of the day there was active buying particularly by Wall Street houses with Western connections and some of the leading Southern bulls. December contracts advanced to 13.39 and January to 13.39 with the general list showing a net gain of 17 to 23 points, but in the last half hour most of this advance was lost under general commmission house realizing and a renewal of bear pressure. The low area was again reported off the south coast of Florida, but attracted little attention while an effort to create bullish sentiment on talk of low temperatures in the central belt found little in the official weather reports to create anxiety. Liverpool reported that the South was not following the decline. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 1-8c lower.

Receipts at the ports today 87,655 bales against 55,842 last week and 84,840 last year; for the week 300,000 bales against 277,104 last week and 340,543 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 4,775 bales against 13,706 last year, and at Houston 13,731 bales against 28,131 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 13.55; middling gulf 13.80; sales 1,127 bales. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month	Open	Close
September	13.05	13.18
October	13.10	13.17
November	——	13.17
December	13.13	13.24
January	13.10	13.20
February	——	13.21
March	13.19	13.28
April	——	13.29
May	13.21	13.32
June	——	13.27
July	13.15	13.25

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 13 3-16; net receipts 46,685; stock 145,927.

New Orleans—Quiet, 13 3-16; net receipts 4,775; stock 66,561.

Mobile—Steady, 13.00; net receipts 3,447; stock 27,268.

Savannah—Quiet, 12 15-16; net receipts 20,952; stock 122,995.

Charleston—Quiet, 12 7-8; net receipts 1,829; stock 27,742.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12 3-4; net receipts 3,825; stock 31,629.

Norfolk—Steady, 13 1-8; net receipts 6,142; stock 15,576.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13 1-2; stock 2,354.

New York—Quiet, 13.55; stock 58,679.

Boston—Quiet, 13.55.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.80; stock 2,691.

Total today, at all ports, Net 87,655; Great Britain 19,219; France 10,432; Stock 504,540.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 201,097; Great Britain 46,124; France 29,227; Continent 55,246; Japan 1,899.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 904,462; Great Britain 147,702; France 99,146; Continent 258,847; Japan 3,072; Mexico 3,090.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Steady, 13 1-8; net receipts 13,731; stock 64,150.

Augusta—Steady, 13 1-16; net receipts 3,975; stock 29,944.

Memphis—Firm, 13 1-4; net receipts 3,780; stock 19,403.

St. Louis—Steady, 13 3-8; stock 9,257.

Cincinnati—Nte receipts 300; stock 9,288.

Louisville—Firm, 13 1-2.

Little Rock—Quiet, 13.00; net receipts 1,499; stock 8,513.

Total today—Net receipts 23,285; gross receipts 23,866; shipments 17,270; sales 4,361; stock 140,555.

Dick Brothers & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—After some weakness around the opening the cotton market grew steady and rallied about 20 points above last night's close on buying for interests who had sold around the high level of last week and yesterday. There were reports that the spinners were calling cotton heavily and the strength of the Southern spot markets indicated that actual cotton was not going begging at a parity slightly above New York futures. Outside buying was strongly in evidence and it begins to look as if there were not enough contracts supplied by hedge sales to meet the demands of outside buyers. Certain intersets that have been working for a break as a result of the movement of cotton are taking a much more friendly view of the bull side. Advices from Memphis state that the National ginners' report will be somewhat bearish as regards the amount of cotton ginned, and that the condition report will not be as bullish as expected. DICK BROS. & CO.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Sept. 28.—Cotton: Spot good business done, prices 12 points lower; American middling fair 7.70; good middling 7.40; middling 7.24; low middling 7.06; good ordinary 6.80; ordinary 6.55. The sales of the day were 15,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 14,500. Receipts 4,000 bales including 3,000 American. Futures opened easy and closed steady. September 7.11; September and October 7.01 1-2; October and November 6.98; November and December 6.94 1-2; December and January 6.94 1-2; January and February 6.93 1-2; Fberuary and March 6.93; March and April 6.93; April and May 6.93; May and June 6.93; June and July 6.93; July and August 6.90 1-2.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—The recovery from last week's declines, which set in yesterday, was substantially extended in today's stock market. United States Steel and Atchison were distinguished by the new record prices at which they sold and the average advance was substantial although very unevenly divided. Observers were inclined to look for some concealed technical condition to account for the extreme facility with which prices were advanced. One supposition advanced was that a short interest of unsuspected proportions had been discovered by the adroit conductors of the recent movements in the market and that they were able to control the action of prices to the entire discomfiture of the shorts.

The tightening money market was relied upon to check the freedom of action of the bull party by restricting their credit resources. The money market seems proof against adverse circumstances and the operations on the long side today were conducted with every appearance of unhampered freedom. The tone of call loans was slightly easier.

New York exchange at Chicago rose to par and the banks were correspondingly relieved from pressure on that side. The sub-treasury meanwhile continues to draw cash from the banks, the total for the banking week rising today to $2,898,000 compared with only $591,000 in the corresponding time last week. There were heavy remittances also to Canada, $500,000 being withdrawn in gold from the sub-treasury today for that destination, in addition to $900,000 shipped yesterday.

The rise in United States Steel was stimulated by reports of the placing of heavy buying orders for steel rails by the great railroad systems, the Pennsylvania being mentioned as ordering 200,000 for next year. The rapidly decreasing surplus of idle freight cars reported by the railroads argues an early demand for new equipment which would be favorable to the steel industrials. A strong recovery in the Erie securities was a feature of the day's market. There was a period of weakness in Amalgamated Copper, but that stock became strong subsequently and removed the only apparent restraint on the advancing tendency. The bond market was irregular. The buoyant rise in U. S. Steel to 89 5-8 was accompanied by a decline in the sinking fund bonds. The greatest activity in the bond market was in the convertible issues.

The ordinary investment bond issues were sluggish and dull. Total sales par value $5,950,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today 1,139,100 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—Money on call firm 2 1-2 to 3 per cent., ruling rate 2 7-8, closing bid 2 3-4, offered at 3 per cent. Time loans firm and inactive. Sixty days 3 3-4 per cent., and ninety days 4 per cent. Six months 4 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8425 to 4.8435 for sixty day bills and at 4.86.05 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 3-4 to 4.84. Bar silver 51 1-8. Mexican dollars 43

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg 100	3-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou 100	3-4
U. S. 3s reg 101	1-2
U. S. 3s cou.....101	1-2
U. S. 4s reg 116	1-2
U. S. 4s cou.....117	1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s.....110	7-8
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s..... 94	3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s 100	1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s..... 99	1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s..... 90	
Southern Railway 5s.....110	
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.....104	7-8

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper 83	3-8
Amr. Car & Foundry..... 69	7-8
Amr. Cotton Oil..... 75	3-8
Amr. Locomotive 60	
Amr. Smelting & Ref..... 99	1-4
Amr. Sugar Refining 134	1-4
Atchison 118	1-8
Atchison pfd 104	1-4
Atlantic Coast Line.....136	
Baltimore & Ohio.....118	7-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd..... 94	1-4
Chesapeake & Ohio..... 84	
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.....161	7-8
Colorado & Southern..... 53	
Erie 33	3-4
Erie 1st pfd..... 49	1-2
Erie 2nd pfd..... 39	1-2
Great Northern pfd.....153	7-8
Kansas City Southern..... 46	
Kansas City Southern pfd..... 73	1-4
L. & N. 152	1-2
Northern Pacific 156	1-2
Pennsylvania 149	1-2
People's Gas 115	3-4
Reading 168	1-2
Republic Steel pfd.....107	7-8
Rock Island Co..... 39	1-4
Rock Island Co. pfd..... 77	1-2
Southern Pacific 133	1-4
Southern Railway 30	3-4
Southern Railway pfd..... 70	1-4
Standard Oil Co.....700	
Union Pacific 206	1-2
Union Pacific pfd.....107	7-8
U. S. Steel 89	3-8
U. S. Steel pfd.....129	3-8
Va.-Car. Chemical 47	5-8
Westinghouse Electric 88	1-2
Western Union 79	1-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—Flour rather quiet but firm.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red nominal elevator; No. 2 red nominal f. o. b. afloat. Options 1 to 1 1-4 net higher. September 1.10 1-2; December 1.08 1-4; May 1.09 5-8.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 old 75 1-2 in elevator and 76 1-2 delivered, both nominal; No. 2 old 74 5-8 middle October f. o. b. afloat. Options net unchanged. September 75 1-2; December 70 3-4.

Oats—Spot firm; mixed 41 1-2 to 42.

Lard—Easy.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Quiet.

Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.72 1-2; refined quiet.

Cotton Seed Oil active today, trading being largely professional. Refined were credited with being good supporters of nearby deliveries and sellers of late months. Sales aggregate 11,400 barrels. December 6.33 to 6.35; January 8.35 to 8.37; May 6.51 to 6.54. Prime crude 5.33; prime summer yellow 6.35 to 6.37; prime white 6.58 to 6.75; prime winter yellow 6.50 to 6.99.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No 7, 7 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 1-2 to 9. Mild dull; Cordova 8 1-2 to 12. Futures barely steady net 5 to 10 points lower.

Potatoes—Steady; state per barrel 1.75 to 2.12; Long Island 1.87 to 2.12; Jersey 1.75 to 2.12.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Freights and Peanuts, unchanged.

Butter—Unchanged.

Cheese—Steady; state, full cream, common to good 11 1-2 to 14 3-4.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Wheat prices on the board of trade advanced from 1 3-8 to 2 1-2c today on buying based on brisk demand for the cash grain at all important centers in this country. The market closed strong at almost the top point of the day. Corn, oats and provisions also closed strong.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
Sept ..	1 03 5-8	1 05 7-8	1 05 7-8
Dec. ...	99 5-8	1 01 1-8	1 01
May ...	1 02 3-4	1 03 3-4	1 03 5-8
Corn—			
Sept..	65 1-8	66	65 5-8
Dec. ...	59	59 5-8	59 1-2
May ...	61 1-8	61 5-8	61 5-8
Oats—			
Sept ..	41	41 7-8	41 7-8
Dec. ...	39 1-8	39 3-8	39 3-8
May ...	41 7-8	42 1-8	42 1-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
Sept ..24	95	24 95	24 95
Jan. ...18	65	18 87 1-2	18 65
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
Sept ..12	50	12 50	12 37 1-2
Oct. ...12	40	12 40	12 25
Nov. ..12	02 1-2	12 05	12 25
Jan. ...11	00	11 05	10 95
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
Sept ..11	97 1-2	12 02 1-2	12 00
Oct. ...11	62 1-2	11 80	11 70
Jan. ... 9	80	9 90	9 80

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 28.—Turpentine and rosin firm.

Charleston, Sept. 28.—Turpentine steady 57 1-2. Rosin steady. A B C, 3.90; D, 4.00; E, 4.10; F, 4.30; G, 4.35; H, 4.55; I, 4.70; K, 5.25; M, 5.40; N, 5.70; WG, 6.20; WW, 6.25.

Savannah, Sept. 28.—Spirits turpentine firm 58 1-2 to 59; sales 604; receipts 1,362. Rosin firm; sales 1,106; receipts 5,955; shipments 175; stock 145,874. Quote: B, 4.00; D, 4.12 1-2; E, 4.22 1-2; F, 4.40; G, 4.45; H, 4.67 1-2; I, 4.82 1-2; K, 5.35; M, 5.50; N, 5.80; WG, 6.25; WW, 6.30.

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Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 28, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—340 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 8 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—378 bales cotton.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2,103 bales cotton; 14 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—930 bales cotton; 10 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—72 bales cotton.

Str. Alice—2 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 38 barrels tar; 23 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—3,825 bales cotton; 15 casks spirits turpentine; 68 barrels tar; 48 barrels crude turpentine.

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BASE BALL

National League.

Pittsburg, Sept. 28.—The Pittsburg baseball club today clinched the 1908 pennant of the National League. Although the local team was defeated by New York by a score of 13 to 9, Philadelphia's victory over Chicago assured the pennant for the Pittsburg club. Should Chicago win every game from now until the close of the season and Pittsburg lose every game it plays the local team would still be in the lead at the close of the season by half a game. A wild demonstration was enacted on Forbes field today at the close of the game with New York when the Philadelphia-Chicago score was posted on the bulletin board. The crowd made a rush for the bench of the local players, but they had retired to their dressing rooms.

Before the game today Manager Fred Clarke, of the Pittsburg team, was presented with a purse of gold amounting to a little over $600, the gift of local baseball enthusiasts. Mayor Magee made the presentation.

Today's game was a swatfest pure and simple with the visitors having the better of the argument. The locals used four pitchers but all were hit freely. Ames was hit hard in the ninth inning when two singles, two doubles and a triple netted the home club five runs. New York scored early in the game, securing a commanding lead that could not be overcome.

Pittsburg won the National League Pennant in 1901, 1902 and 1903, this being the fourth time and giving Manager Clarke the distinction of being the only man in the National League today with such a record. Only three other managers of Major League teams ever had a better record, they being Messrs. Anson, Eelee and Hanlon, whose teams won pennants five times.

Five players on the Pittsburg team at present held the record of being the only ones ever members of a club that won the pennant four times. They are Manager Clarke, Shortstop Wagner, Center Fielder Leach and Pitchers Leever and Phillipe.

Pittsburg is the best hitting team in either Major league, having 1,282 bingles to their credit, including 204 doubles, 88 triples and 24 home runs, and is second in fielding, Chicago being first.

An interesting feature of Pittsburg's winning the pennant today is the fact that O'Connor was catching for the local team when the pennant was clinched and the only other game he caught this year was on May 5th, when his three hits helped Pittsburg defeat Chicago, thus placing Pittsburg in the lead in the race.

Pittsburg	100 100 115—	9	12 3
New York	045 000 022—13	13	2

Willis, Phillippe, Brandon, Moore and Gibson and O'Connor; Ames and A. Wilson.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Chicago assured Pittsburg the pennant of the National League by losing to Philadelphia today 2 to 3.

Chicago	000 000 002—2	7	0
Philadelphia	100 000 002—3	8	0

Reulbach, Schenck and Archer; Moore and Dooin.

Cincinnati, Sept. 28.—Brooklyn won from Cincinnati in the 11th inning today by scoring three runs on three hits and an error.

Cincinnati	000 010 000 00—1	6	5
Brooklyn	001 000 000 03—4	9	3

Spade and Clark; Knetzer and Marshall.

St. Louis, Sept. 28.—St. Louis and Boston broke even today. Richie outpitched Raleigh in the first game and won a 2 to 1 contest. In the second game St. Louis batted Brown and Mattern for five runs in the fifth, winning 7 to 3.

St. Louis	100 000 000—1	6	3
Boston	100 000 010—2	4	0

Raleigh and Bliss; Richie and Smith.

Boston	200 010 000—3	7	6
St. Louis	000 050 20x—7	10	2

Brown, Mattern and Rairden; Harmon and Bliss.

American League.

New York, Sept. 28.—Detroit's last appearance in New York this season was marked by a 5 to 0 victory, the visitors thus making it three out of four on the series and maintaining their lead of .016 over the Athletics. Both Donovan and Wilson pitched gilt-edged ball, the Detroiter receiving superior support and being invincible with men on bases. Two of New York's three errors helped Detroit to runs, the visitors also using two of Wilson's bases on ball to advantage.

Detroit	002 021 000—5	4	1
New York	000 000 000—0	5	3

Donovan and Stanage; Wilson and Blair.

Philadelphia, Sept. 28.—Philadelphia defeated Cleveland this afternoon by 7 to 0, it being the third shut out victory for the home team in the series of four games. Morgan held Cleveland to five hits, three of which were made by the visitors in the sixth inning.

Philadelphia	101 004 01x—7	9	3
Cleveland	000 000 000—0	5	3

Morgan and Lapp; Young, Joss and Easterly.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Chicago hit Gray hard and won handily from Washington today 5 to 1. Olmstead puzzled the locals. The batting of Dougherty was the feature.

Washington	000 000 010—1	7	3
Chicago	100 200 200—5	11	0

Gray and Hardy; Olmstead and Payne.

Rochester Wins Pennant.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Eastern League's championship season ended today, Rochester winning the pennant with .034 to spare. The Rochesters were managed by John Ganzel, who transformed them from tail-enders into pennant winners in a year's time. Rochester previously had not won a pennant since 1901. Newark this year finished second, instead of Providence. The champion Baltimores of 1908, had a poor season, landing in seventh place. Providence was third. Toronton fourth, Buffalo fifth, Montreal sixth and Jersey City eighth.

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BOTH FOUND POLE

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wage on Dr. Cook. It is intimated that Commander Peary has yet other information to prove his contention but he thinks it will be unnecessary to make it public at this time. Although there has been no definite statement as to the exact date when the proofs will be made known, it is announced that General Hubbard is planning to call a meeting of the Peary Arctic Club in New York next week.

Commander Peary's forthcoming contribution to the controversy is rather voluminous but has been prepared with the idea that it should be readily understood by the lay mind. General Hubbard said tonight:

"The statement has been prepared and will be submitted to the club. I do not feel competent to say whether the club will approve of it exactly in its present form. Of course no one can take from or add to the facts.

"The statement will simply contain facts in their proper order and will contain no arguments except as to the bare statement of the facts itself constitutes an argument.

"I do not care to go on record as saying that the statement will prove that Dr. Cook did not reach the Pole. That is a matter for the public to judge. I can say that Peary's statement of facts are true."

Whether Commander Peary will be able to attend the naval parade in the Hudson-Fulton celebration next Friday has not been decided.

SENSATION AT ANDERSON

Warrants For Former Bank Cashier and Business Associate.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Anderson, S. C., Sept. 28.—In compliance with an order of Circuit Court Judge Aldrich, Magistrate Wilson today issued warrant for the arrest of former Cashier Holleman, of the Bank of Anderson, charging breach of trust with intent to defraud, and E. R. Rice, Jr., charging that he conducted a business known as a "bucket shop."

About two months ago Holleman defaulted in the sum of $37,000 and absconded. The State will attempt to pove that Rice handled Holleman's speculation business through which it is believed he lost heavily of the bank's funds.

Holleman's present whereabouts is unknown.

A MURDER NEAR MONROE

Ben Tingen Killed by His Brother-in-Law in a Quarrel.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Monroe, N. C., Sept. 28.—As the outcome of a quarrel yesterday Ben Tingle was last night shot and killed by his brother in-law, Lonie Rushing in the public road ear Wingate.

The two men, had, it is said, been drinking heavily during the day and became involved in a quarrel which resulted in the shooting.

Rushing has escaped and has not been apprehended.

COTTON PROSPECT GOOD

Well Verified Report From Department of Agriculture.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 28.—With considerable progress made in checking the ravages of the boll weevil in the South, the prospects for a large production of cotton are unusually good, according to proof of W. R. Beatty, assistant horticulturist of the Department of Agriculture, who returned today from an extended tour of Southern States.

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PRINCESS STREET STORE—That desirable three-story store, No. 215 Princess street (now occupied by Southern Electric Company) is offered for sale and for rent from October 1st. Princess street is becoming the principal (one of) street of the city, and property here is rapidly enhancing in value. A purchase of property now will be a good investment. Will be glad to furnish particular information. J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. se 29-2t.

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THE W. B. McCLELLAN FARM, East Wilmington, will be sold off in 10-acre lots, Monday, October 11th. Public Auction. You make the price, he makes the deed. Terms to suit buyer. For further particulars see A. W. Pate Co. se 25-3t*

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FOUND—On Fifth street, corner of Castle, a druggist that sends all over the city, gets prescriptions, fills and returns without extra cost. 'Phone 192 and 1277. jl 9-tf.

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